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# THE LOWELL SUN

LOWELL MASS. FRIDAY APRIL 16 1909

6  
O'CLOCK

PRICE ONE CENT

## MAYOR BROWN

## LIQUOR OFFICERS

## SUPERIOR COURT

### Tells Treasurer Not to Accept Liquor License Fees

He Says He Has Asked the City Solicitor for an Opinion as to the Legality of the Grant—A Decision is Expected by Tomorrow

Mayor Brown has instructed the city treasurer not to accept any money for liquor licenses.

This is the latest move, and when the news was whispered about city hall today there was great speculation as to the why and wherefore.

"Is it true, Mayor Brown, that you have instructed the city treasurer not to accept any money for liquor licenses granted by the police board a day or two ago?"

To this question by a reporter of The Sun, His Honor said:

"Pending an opinion by the city solicitor as to the legality of the grant, I have instructed the city treasurer not to accept money for the licenses in question."

"Why did you consider this necessary?"

"Well, there have been a great many protests against present licensed liquor dealers, and I have not had time to investigate them. And then again I do not want the representatives of wholesalers and breweries to have liquor licenses."

"The city solicitor is preparing an opinion as to the legality of the grant and I expect it will be ready today or tomorrow."

### CELEBRATED DEFALCATION CASE

OSSINING, N. Y., April 16.—A celebrated defalcation case was recalled today by the release from Sing Sing prison of Cornelius J. Alvord, formerly note teller of the First National bank of New York city. Alvord was sentenced to thirteen years' imprisonment on January 16, 1901, for making false entries in the books of the First National bank to cover up defalcations said to have aggregated \$620,000 extending over a period of several years. Commutation for good behavior reduced the term by about five years. Alvord confessed the defalcation. When he left the prison today he told the officials he was going to Hudson, N. Y.

### A DELICIOUS PERFUME

### WAS FINED \$75

Because She Horse-whipped a Lawyer

BOSTON, April 16.—It cost Miss Jessie B. McLellan \$75 in the superior court today to satisfy her anger against George Sweetser, a lawyer whom she slashed across the face with a horsewhip after he had won a breach of promise case against Miss McLellan. Miss McLellan pleaded guilty to assault and paid the fine.

### MONITOR CHEYENNE TESTED EFFICIENCY OF OIL AS A FUEL

SAN PEDRO, Cal., April 16.—The coast defense monitor Cheyenne has returned to this port from a long cruise made to test the efficiency of oil as a fuel. Although no official statement will be made until the report sent to Washington is given out, officers who have watched the tests stated that oil has proved a saving in fuel as well as that the work of the oil burning plant installed on the Monitor at Mare Island has been perfect theoretically and practically. Steam pressure can be maintained much more evenly than with coal, a higher speed can be secured and smoke, cinders and dirt are eliminated. In times of war the absence of smoke the officers point out is a valuable consideration. With oil the Cheyenne on a power trip trial has been able to make a higher rate of speed than with coal and her steaming radius of 1300 miles with coal has been increased to 2500 with oil. The air supplied to the burners is super-heated to about 400 degrees Fahrenheit before entering the burners and the oil is about 200 degrees. The oil is used in a gaseous instead of a liquid state.

### Spring Cleaning Costs Little

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The bargain hunters are getting more numerous every week at this store. How do you like your new suit, Jim? It's the best ever for the money, and it fits like a glove. A regular tailor-made could not be better, so says a customer who bought one of our famous \$6.50 Suits this week. That's what they all say. We know how to buy and we know how to sell. Our \$5.48 and \$6.50 Suits cannot be duplicated in this city for twice that price. When your money is limited and you want to stretch it out, we can make you think that we have put elastic into it. We can stretch it so far for you that there is not an article in our Clothing or Furnishing Goods Department or our Boot and Shoe Department but what we can save you big money on every purchase. Just give us a call and we will prove it to you. Call today.

JOE STEINBERG  
254 MIDDLESEX STREET  
SIGN BIG DOG BESS

Phone 2470

HARDWICK, Vt., April 16.—A discussion of the liquor laws of Vermont and other states was an interesting feature of today's session of the annual meeting of the Vermont Methodist Episcopal conference. This came in connection with the temperance anniversary with Rev. W. R. Davenport presiding. The principal address was given by Clarence Ferguson of Burlington, secretary of the Vermont Anti-Saloon League. The anniversary of the women's foreign missionary society also was held today with an address by Mrs. Mary Curtis, a returned missionary from Malaya. The daily business session was the means of clearing up much routine business. This evening the Sunday school anniversary will be held, the feature being an address by Rev. Dr. David G. Downey of Chittenden, secretary of the board of Sunday schools.

Extra large Delaware Shad, 35c, at The Tapew. Saturday.

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### Restored the Lawrence License Commissioners to Office

### Mayor White Receives a Severe Setback in His Opposition to the License Board

The superior court today issued an order restoring to office the members of the Lawrence license board who were removed after a hearing before the mayor. Shortly after Mayor White went into office he preferred charges against the commissioners and gave a hearing which lasted several days. The mayor then removed the commissioners who petitioned the court for a review of the proceedings. The matter was heard before Judge Waite and this afternoon an order was issued restoring the commissioners to office.

### ALDERMAN TURNER

### Wants to Test Legality of the Municipal Register

Alderman Turner this noon filed a resolution to be submitted to the city council asking the city solicitor for an opinion as to the legality of the municipal register fund authorized and per-

sonally conducted by Mayor Brown with funds belonging to the city of Lowell.

### BOY KIDNAPPED

### Son of a Well Known St. Louis Man Taken Away

ST LOUIS, April 16.—James S. Cabanne, seven years of age, the youngest son of a well known St. Louis man, was kidnapped in front of the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Julia Cabanne, in the most fashionable district of the city yesterday. A telephone message from an unidentified man said that the lad had been taken to Louisville. Mrs. Cabanne, almost distracted, summoned the police last night and put the matter in their hands. The authorities at Louisville and Memphis have been notified. Barring the possibility that he is in the hands of abductors, it is a theory of the police that the kidnapping is due to domestic troubles.

Counsel—"I did." Officer Grady—"You did not." Mr. Bent asked that that part of the record referring to the winking be stricken out.

Counsel for prosecution said he was willing to have it stricken out but he would not retract it.

Mr. Johnson said he was willing to have it go on the record. "It shows the animus," he said.

The mayor told the stenographer to strike it out and a little later the hearing adjourned to 10 o'clock this forenoon.

See O. E. Con's adv. in this issue.

### LIQUOR LAWS

Discussed at the M. E. Conference

### A Tonic Free from Alcohol

Talk with your doctor about Ayer's non-alcoholic Sarsaparilla. Ask him if he prescribes it for pale, delicate children. Ask him if he recommends it when the blood is thin and impure, and when the nerves are weak and unsteady. Ask him if it aids nature in building up the general health.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

Memphis, Tenn., April 16.—Other than through press despatches the police department of Memphis declares they have had no advice as yet with reference to the kidnapping of the Cabanne boy. While it is stated that the

### LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

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In His Tremendous Laughing Success

### FATHER AND THE BOYS

George Ade's Best and Funniest Comedy

Prices—25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Seats on sale Saturday, April 17, at 2 p. m.

# MEMBERS OF CREW

Were Taken Ashore in the  
Breeches Buoy

POINT JUDITH, R. I., April 16.—Captain Thomas Whalen and the three members of the crew of the two-masted schooner G. A. Hayden were taken ashore early today in the breeches buoy from their vessel which struck on the rocks about two miles south of Point Judith last night. The schooner bounded heavily throughout the night and it was believed today that she could not be saved. The Hayden was second light from Vineyard Haven for New Haven. Yesterday afternoon the schooner ran into Narragansett bay, when first sighted she was trying to get by the point in the thick fog which prevailed all day and most of the night. When Captain Whalen discovered that he was being driven towards Point Judith, he had two anchors thrown overboard and soon the schooner was sailing safely about 300 yards off shore. The chains could not stand the strain, however, and one of them parted. Fearing that the other would also

## CATARH THE CAUSE OF CONSUMPTION

If you have catarh don't feel yourself into the belief that it is a harmless disease.

At least one-half of the consumption in the world can be traced to catarh.

Here are some symptoms of catarh:

If you have any of them get rid of them while there is yet time.

Is your throat raw?

Do you sneeze often?

Is your breath foul?

Are your eyes watery?

Do you take cold easily?

Is your nose stopped up?

Do you have to spit often?

Do crusts form in your nose?

Are you worse in damp weather?

Do you blow your nose a great deal?

Are you losing your sense of smell?

Does your mouth taste bad mornings?

Do you have a dull feeling in your head?

Do you have to clear your throat often?

Is there a tickling sensation in your throat?

Do you have a discharge from the nose?

Does mucous drop in back of throat?

Medicine taken into the stomach won't cure catarh; because to cure catarh you must kill the persistent and destructive catarh germ.

Hyomel (pronounced High-o-me) the guaranteed catarh cure is a strong antiseptic yet pleasant air which when breathed over the membrane of the nose and throat into the lungs gets where the germs are and cures catarh by killing the germs. C. N. Lindsey of Mitchell, S. D., says it cured him. Read his letter.

Having suffered from catarh for about two years, and having tried numerous remedies without any satisfactory results, I finally tried Hyomel, and I am glad to state that after using about one and one-half bottles, I am entirely cured."

Hyomel is sold by leading druggists everywhere and is sold in Lowell by Carter & Sherburne on the money back plan. A complete outfit, including inhaler, only costs \$1.00, and extra bottles 50 cents.

## REVENUE MEN

### Visited Local Liquor Dealers Today

Local liquor dealers were on the jump all morning as the result of the visit to Lowell of two neat and quiet appearing men who walked into several of the places and modestly announcing the fact that they were United States revenue inspectors proceeded to ask all sorts of questions about the revenue, licenses, rectifying, what liquors the dealers had that were bottled in bond, etc.

The revenue inspector always gets the liquor dealer nervous for he comes unannounced and unexpectedly and always carries an air of mystery about him.

### TWO KILLED

#### IN A TRAIN WRECK NEAR HARISBURG

HARRISBURG, Pa., April 16.—Two persons were killed and several others slightly injured last evening when "The Queen of the Valley," a night express of the Reading railroad, was wrecked in the southern part of Harrisburg within a moment's ride of the Reading station.

### DELIGHTFUL PARTY AT HOME OF ALBERT CLOUGH LAST EVENING

A delightful house party was held last evening at the home of Mr. Albert Clough, 192 Perry street, with a large and noisy gathering in attendance. A pleasant impromptu musical program was given, consisting of piano and violin solos by Miss Lyons and Miss Murchison; piano solos, Misses K. Hessian and Coupe; songs, Misses L. Hessian, G. Hessian, L. Harrington, A. Harrington, Fuller, Battie, Pickles and Morris; Bradley, J. Kelly, Kane, Reynolds, Murray, C. Kelly and Farrell.

Refreshments were served and after games and a social time the party broke up at a reasonable hour with everybody happy.

### BARK ASHORE

#### LIFE SAVING CREW WENT TO ITS RESCUE

VINEYARD HAVEN, April 16.—When dawn broke today a bark was discovered ashore on Nomanstrand, six miles south of Gayhead, and within an hour the Gayhead life-saving crew were on their way to assist her. As there is no wire communication with the little island the identity of the vessel had not been ascertained up to 9 a.m. It was believed that the bark struck the island during the thick fog last night while trying to enter Vineyard sound.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

At 9 a.m. the crew of the bark was rescued and brought ashore, and all were made as comfortable as possible at the life-saving station. Except for the clothing they wore the sailors saved nothing from the wreck.

The G. A. Hayden was built at Essex, Connecticut, in 1887. She registered 10 tons net, was 86 feet long, 28 feet, 3 inches beam, and drew 7 feet, 1 inch. She was owned at Edgarton, Mass., and was employed in the oyster trade.

### REQUIEM MASS FOR DEPARTED MEMBERS OF ST. PETER'S H. N. SOCIETY

On April 19 the members of St. Peter's Holy Name society will attend in a body a mass of requiem for departed members. At the regular meeting last evening, Wm. E. Daly presiding, a committee of five was appointed to consider the project of an outing for the society this summer.

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## IN POLICE COURT

### Man Sent to Jail for Stealing 50 Cents

A man was arraigned before Judge Hadley in police court this morning on a complaint charging him with stealing one hundred pounds of coal from the Boston & Northern Street Railway Co.

The company has been missing coal at the power house in Middlesex street of late and last night Foreman John Butler and another employee were detailed to watch the coal bunkers. About 9 o'clock they saw the man approach with two bags and after filling them with coal he started off. Butler grabbed him and turned him over to a police officer.

In court this morning defendant stated that he was out of work, his wife is sick and rather than apply to the city or any of his relatives for aid he went to the power house and stole the coal.

He put up such a pitiful plea for clemency under the existing conditions that Judge Hadley decided to look further into the matter before passing on the case. Owing to the circumstances his name is withheld.

The case was continued till Tuesday morning.

### Sent to Jail

Frank Clark pleaded guilty to the larceny of fifty cents, the property of Angelo Garadakos. The defendant had been in the employ of George W. Morrison of the Cross Awning Co., and collected fifty cents from the complainant, claiming that Mr. Morrison had sent him to collect the money. Clark was sentenced to three months in jail.

### Drunken Offenders

James and Catherine Connors, second offenders, were each fined \$6. There was one first offender, who was taxed \$2 and three simple drunkards were released.

### THE SHAW PLANT

### Will be Opened as a Machinery Exchange

The American Woolen company is fitting up the Shaw Machine company plant for the purpose of maintaining a machinery exchange which it is believed will employ quite a number of skilled mechanics. The company has been installing machinery at the plant for a few weeks and is about to begin work.

At first it was thought that the machinery might be going in for storage, but a few days ago when Secretary McKenna of the board of trade inquired about the plant in the interest of an automobile concern, he was informed that the American Woolen company was about to establish a machinery exchange there.

### BILLERICA

A successful dancing party was held in the town hall last evening under the auspices of Billerica grange, No. 223, P. O. H. There was a large attendance of grangers, including a number from Lowell and the surrounding towns. Dancing was enjoyed to the music of Atwood & Griffiths orchestra of Lowell. The affair was managed by the ways and means committee of the local grange.

The annual recital of the pupils of Miss A. Amy Hosmer, teacher of piano, was given Wednesday night in the town hall, the following program being carried out:

Postillion d'Amour ..... Behr  
Alice W. Higgins, Miss Hosmer,  
Marche Pacific ..... Rummel  
Esther E. Cole

Saech ..... Dubois

Flora Elliot ..... Marion E. Williams

Spanish Dance ..... Marion E. Williams

Harvest Tide ..... Lange

Robert E. Spencer ..... March

Ethel M. Drake, Miss Hosmer,

Song Without Words ..... Beta M. Shea

Heather Rose ..... Lange

Louise C. Kirkpatrick ..... Wayside Brook

Marion E. Williams ..... Smith

The Postillion ..... Volkmann

Miss Hosmer, Bertha M. Parrish,

Bridge Call ..... Grunder

Margaret Pe. G. Campbell

Processional March ..... Dennee

Robert Spencer, Miss Hosmer,

Nocturne ..... Gelermann

Miss Blaikie

Reading—"The Telegram" ..... Reading

Margaret Pe. G. Campbell

Marche Militaire ..... Schubert

Elizabeth B. Tacket, Elizabeth G. Norcross

Spinning Spokes ..... Harrington

Bertha M. Parrish

Chanson d'Enfant ..... Guillain

La Jack Chant ..... Krogmann

Lulu E. Remick

The Dying Poet ..... Gottschalk

Alfred Prinster

Prelude ..... Tours

Norman L. Corcoran, Miss Hosmer,

Bofare Willard ..... Lebach

Elizabeth B. Tacket

At the Fountain ..... Hennes

Eliza E. Hart

Mignotte ..... Lichner

Esther E. Cole

Al Printner ..... Grig

Bertha M. Parrish

La Baracca ..... Schwarzenbach

Die Innige Freundschaft ..... Maxson

Elizabeth Pe. G. Campbell

Reading—"The Light" ..... Denman's

Eliza E. Hart

Margaret Pe. G. Campbell

Rosamond ..... Merfatt

Miss Blaikie

Alla Pavan ..... Blaiberg

Miss Hosmer, Bertha M. Parrish

FREN. TAFT RETURNS

WASHINGTON, April 16.—President Taft and his family returned to Washington this morning. Mrs. Taft remained in New York for a brief visit. The trip was without incident.

SWEDISH CONFERENCE

WORCESTER, April 16.—The second day of the nine-day session of the Swedish conference was opened with a plenary meeting this afternoon in the Hotel Worcester, 100 Washington St. A Quaker of Olmsted, England, opened the session.

AMBULANCE CASES

Joseph Gathue, residing at 4 Allston Street, was operated on by Joseph Muller, the ear doctor, till noon this morning. He is weak and received care about the face. His condition was summarized and he was taken to the Lowell hospital where he received treatment.

Lowell, Friday, April 16, 1909.

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# ANNUAL MEETING GREAT SENSATION

Of Dental Societies  
Held in Lawrence

The annual meeting of the Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill Dental societies was held Wednesday afternoon at the rooms of the board of trade in Lawrence. A banquet was served at the Essex hotel at 6 o'clock after which a business meeting was held.

Demonstrations on operations pertaining to the practice of dentistry were given by Dr. Win. H. Pepin and Dr. C. T. Harris. Others who gave demonstrations were Dr. Ray and Dr. Stanfield of Haverhill, Dr. Hume of Andover, Dr. Dignam of Lawrence and Dr. Hough of Boston.

Many of the supply houses of Boston and other cities had exhibits of instruments and supplies which proved of interest to the members. Dr. Ned A. Stanley of New Bedford, president of the Massachusetts State Dental society, was present, and he gave a clinic as well as a talk on the disease known as syphilitic atrophy, and also a clinic on oral prophylaxis.

Among those who made after dinner addresses were Dr. V. F. Darling, president of the Lowell society, who talked on the subject of "Fletcherism." Dr. Frank, president of the Lawrence society, spoke on the importance of keeping up the interest in the society, and Dr. Luce of Haverhill spoke on the duty of the young man entering the profession.

Dr. Hugh Walker, chairman of the committee on arrangements, spoke extemporaneously on the organization of the Merrimack Valley Dental society, informing his remarks with sketches at the different members present.

At the close of the business session there were tournaments in pool, billiards and bowling. Lowell won honors at billiards, while the Haverhill dental displayed a proficiency at pool, and Lawrence winning at bowling. It is expected that the recent union meeting will result in the formation of what will be known as the Merrimack Valley Dental society.

The committee on arrangements concluded the following:

Lowell—Dr. Hugh Walker, president; Dr. W. H. Pepin, treasurer; Dr. Edwin E. Kinney.

Haverhill—Dr. G. Everett Mitchell, Dr. John B. Leonard, secretary; Dr. Howarth Stanfield.

Lawrence—Dr. Charles W. Partridge, Dr. Arthur T. Mackay, Dr. Robert Farquhar.

KEENE'S HORSE SECOND

NEWMARKET, April 16.—The three year old handicap of 300 sovereigns, distance seven furlongs, was run here today and won by Humorist. J. R. Keene's Esperanto was second and Pinshead was third. Nineteen horses started.

## Poor Digestion?

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Caused By Arrests in  
Japanese Diet

TOKIO, April 16.—A tremendous sensation developed here today with the arrest of nine members of the lower house of the diet, the nature of the charges being withheld. It is believed that bribery in connection with the recent difficulties with the Japan Sugar Co. is alleged and there is great unrest in the capital, as it is stated that some members of the upper house are liable to arrest also.

A few weeks ago charges of fraud were brought against certain of the directors of the sugar company, which is a big concern, capitalized at \$1,000,000. The directors resigned and an investigation of the affairs of the company followed.

A series of questionable transactions was disclosed and the stock dropped from 50 to 40 points as a result of the exposure, a large number of people, including many foreigners, meeting financial ruin in the slump. The affair started an outcry from the press and the public which led to the prosecution of a number of directors involved. These men were all high in commercial and political circles.

When the nine members of the lower house were taken into custody today the charges against them were not made public owing to the connection of the defendant directors with politics. It is generally believed that the investigation of the sugar company resulted in the exposure of bribery in the diet.

The arrests and the belief that further arrests are to follow have caused consternation in Tokio political and commercial circles.

FLORENCE CLUB  
OF DRACUT DANCED IN PRES.  
COTT HALL

The Florence Social club of Dracut held a well attended dancing party in Prescott hall last night. There were about one hundred couples present and the affair proved to be a successful one. Dancing was enjoyed to music furnished by the Calumet orchestra.

The following efficient officers had charge of the party: General manager, Fred Cronin; assistant general manager, Arthur Ecklund; floor director, Thomas Bullock; assistant floor director, Harry Gallagher; chief of aid, Willie O'Malley; aids, Michael Sullivan, Louis Seymour, John Collins, May Sullivan, Harry Garner, Margaret McArdle, Herbert Lough, Mary Sonnon, Annie Studer, Kitty Brick, May Duffy, Nova Clark, Emma Partridge, John Gillick, James McCone, Irving Whitecomb, Walter Dilley, Irene Sullivan, Peter Lynch, Mary Collins, Eddie O'Malley, Josie Ross, Margaret Daley, Loretta Campbell, Nellie Gardner, David Sonnon, Leo Campbell, Daniel Ready, Charles McCarty, Alice Kaler, John Lough, Kitty Sears, Red Humphrey, Margaret Collins, Bessie Cronin, Helen Sullivan, Jennie Louisa Rose, Dorothy Campbell, Mabel Ecklund, Paul Merrill, secretary; Thomas Senior, treasurer.

ST. JOHN'S FAIR  
CLOSE OF SUCCESSFUL EASTER  
SALE

The Easter sale and fair of St. John's church came to a successful close in Old Fellows hall in Middlesex street last night. The attendance was large and an excellent entertainment was enjoyed.

In the afternoon there were fancy dances given under the direction of Miss L. Blanche Peirce. Miss Dorothy Madeline Driscoll contributed a Spanish dance, and Anna McCashin gave La Sorella. The sailor's hornpipe was given by Isabel Walker, assisted by Misses Mac Godfrey, Dorothy Driscoll, Stella Malone, Madeline Driscoll, Helen Chadwick and Alice Gilligan. Miss Ina Bachelder was the pianist.

"Our Aunt Robertina" was given in the evening, with the following cast: "Mr. Aspin," William Van Steinbough; "Gladys Aspin," Elizabeth Connell; "Aunt Robertina," Blanche Guerne; "Robert Aspin," Roswell C. Jefferson; "Emily," a maid, Mabel Wilson; "Phibbs," man servant, Fred Glazier; a tramp, P. Edwards. During the action of the piece Mr. and Mrs. J. McParland interpolated a duet and dance.

The second sketch of the evening was called "Mrs. Mutesher." The cast was as follows: "Alfred Johnson," Roswell C. Jefferson; "Ag," his wife, Madeline E. Stoker; "Mrs. Barker," a landlady, Frederick Clements; "Mrs. Mutesher," a washwoman, I. P. Palmer; "Mr. Windfield," George H. Walker; "Mrs. Windfield," Pauline C. Jefferson; "Mr. Folds," Fred Campbell; "Dolly Folds," Gladys Parsons; "Alfred Folds," Lillian Green; "Professor Blaikie," Geo. McElroy; "Paloma," Charles A. Howarth; "Mrs. Wentworth," Marion E. Spencer, and "Hilda," a servant girl, Louise LeFevre.

During the evening Mr. F. O. Bhurt was presented a bouquet containing four dozen American beauty roses.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A special session of Division A. O. H. was held last night, and considerable business was transacted. The division was highly pleased with the action of the central council in having the next state convention in this city. The 27th anniversary of the division is to be held on the second Thursday in May, when a large dance will be held, for which a committee was appointed last night.

Eirene Lodge, No. 14, I. O. G. T., held its regular meeting last night in Pilgrim hall. Reports were read from those who attended the grand lodge in Springfield last week, and officers were elected as follows: C. T. C. A. Lester, V. T.; Mrs. Annie Corbett, secretary; Irene Christian, financial secretary, Anna Griffin.

Court Wards, No. 51, Freeholders of America, held a well attended meeting last night in Wadsworth hall, with every officer present. The auditor's report was read and shows that the order is in good financial condition. Final arrangements were made for a dance to be held in the near future.

Campau council of Court St. Antoino, C. O. F. held a meeting last night and elected and installed Frank Ricard as chief ranger of the council and L. J. Connelly was elected and installed supreme secretary and treasurer. Eight new members were admitted and ten applications for membership were received.

Miss E. Gray of Kimball street and Miss Alice Donohoe of High street are spending the Easter vacation with Mrs. Catharine of Marblehead.

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# Talbot's Showing

## of "Good Clothes"

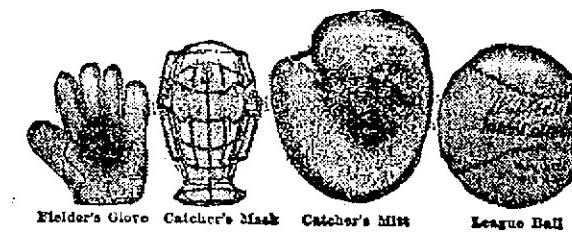
Brought a big Easter trade to the "American House Store." In fact, last Saturday was the "BIGGEST DAY" with only ONE exception in our twenty-eight [28] years of business in Lowell. "AND THE BOYS' DEPARTMENT BEAT ALL PREVIOUS RECORDS." It was a splendid endorsement of our great Stock of "GOOD CLOTHES," without doubt the best ever shown in Lowell. This week we have been busy filling in and today our stock is again complete from A to Z. Everything that is new and correct you will find here, "MADE RIGHT"—PRICED RIGHT."

### HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX FINE SUITS

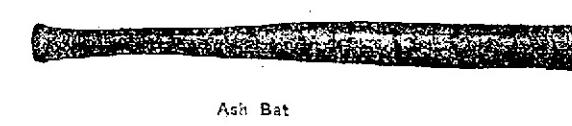
No other clothes that you will see anywhere can compare with the goods from these famous makers. Men of all ages and conditions of life who like to be in clothes that are distinctly stylish and well made, will find in the H. S. & M. models the best ideas brought out this season. Men's and young men's suits, exclusive styles and patterns, at

\$18, \$20, \$22, \$25

### Base Ball Goods Given Away in Our Boys' Dept.



With every purchase of \$3.50 or over we give a Bat, Ball, Glove or Mit.



With every purchase of \$5 or over we give any two of these articles or a catcher's heavy wire mask.

### GOOD CLOTHES FROM OUR OWN WORK ROOMS

It's worth a good deal to us to know that when we sell one of our suits we're giving the customer big value for his money and that he's going to get full value out of it. Fabric counts in the wear and so does good tailoring and the correct style is a powerful factor in your satisfaction. We do ourselves good and you good when we sell you one of these suits at

\$10, \$12, \$15

### "Three Special Suits." All Extra Value

Fancy Worsts in the new colors. Strictly all wool and finely made, regular \$15 quality. We offer them as a leader at ..... \$9.75

The Gold Bond Suit Our special guaranteed Suit, made from strictly all wool fabrics, strongly and serviceably made. We sell these suits and give the purchaser a "Gold Bond," agreeing to give a new Suit or \$12.50 in gold any time before August 1st if the purchase does not prove as warranted, upon return of suit with "Gold Bond" properly dated. The Gold Bond Suits are \$20 quality, sold at ..... \$12.50

The Glengarriff Serge A very fine twill Oswego serge trimmed and tailored equal to the best \$20 suit, in fact it is a regular \$20 suit, but we control the goods and make them in immense quantities and sell them as a special value at ..... \$14.75

## The TALBOT CLOTHING COMPANY

"The Store That's Light as Day

American House Block  
Central st., cor. Warren

### TEXTILE SCHOOL

#### SENIORS AND FRESHMEN HELD FIRST TRYOUT

The seniors and freshmen met on the diamond yesterday afternoon, this being the first game of the season of the inter-class series. The freshmen

won by a score of 8 to 5. The teams were made up as follows:

Seniors—Gray, 1b; McCarthy, 2b;

Mid. ss; Holden, 3b; Bunes (try);

Stone, c; Valpey, lf; Gyzauder and

Irafrat, ct; Newell, rf; Freshmen

Melsowan (capt.) lf; Summersby, 2b;

Cheney, ss; Phillips, 3b; Jefferson, p;

Thaxter, c; Ford, lf; Burnham, p;

Higgin, rf; H. L. Gale was up.

Pitchers have been erected along

the third base line for the accommo-

dation of spectators.

The first game of the season for the regular baseball team representing the school will take place tomorrow afternoon on the school campus when Textile will cross bats with the strong St. Anselm's team of Manchester, N. H.

#### Field Events

The following is a list of track and

field events which are scheduled to take

place at the "Upstream."

Field events: Pole vault, shot put,

running broad jump, running high

jump, etc.

Track events: 100 yard dash, 440

yard run, 330 yard run, one mile run,

and 880 yard relay team race be-

tween the three classes, each man run-

ning 100 yards.

The track will also be a few "comedy"

events which will consist of the potato

race, the three legged race, etc.

Prizes will be awarded for the first,

second and third places in each of the

regular events.

Smith's Pineapple and Butternut Pills

which are a marvelous agent in curing

all forms of liver complaints, including

biliousness and Jaundice. Taken as directed they always restore a man to

health again in a short time.

They are especially good for

biliousness, Jaundice, and

bilious Jaundice.

They are also good for

constipation, piles, etc.

They are also good for

bilious Jaundice, etc.

# HEAVY ATTACHMENTS

## Suits for \$30,000 Brought Against Lowell Men

Attachments aggregating \$30,000 have been filed at the local court in Gorham street by the Knickerbocker Trust Co. of New York against Frank E. Bailey and Edwin W. Lovejoy of this city.

The attachment against Mr. Bailey is for \$29,000 and that against Mr. Lovejoy for \$10,000.

The writs are returnable in the United States court on the third Tuesday of October.

## PRESIDENT TAFT Sends Message to Congress on the Philippine Tariff

WASHINGTON, April 16.—The president yesterday sent to congress a special message in relation to the Philippine tariff. This message transmits recommendations by the secretary of war for a revision of the Philippine tariff so as to permit as much customs revenue as possible for the islands and at the same time to extend to the islands the principle of a protective tariff for its industries. Under the conditions which will arise from the enactment of the tariff bill pending in congress which provides under certain conditions for free trade between the Philippines and the United States, the revenues of the island will be considerably affected and numerous protests have been received here on this account. The proposed amendments to the bill are to interfere as little as possible with these free trade conditions and at the same time permit completion of ample revenue.

To the senate and house of representatives:

I transmit a communication from the secretary of war enclosing one from the chief of the bureau of insular affairs in which is transmitted a proposed tariff revision law for the Philippine islands.

This measure revises the present Philippine tariff, simplifies it and makes it conform as nearly as possible to the regulations of the customs laws of the United States, especially with respect to packing and packages. The present Philippine regulations have been cumbersome and difficult for American merchants and exporters to comply with. Its purpose is to meet the new conditions that will arise under the section of the pending United States tariff bill which provides with certain limitations for free trade between the United States and the islands. It is drawn with a view to preserving to the islands as much customs revenue as possible and to protect in a reasonable measure those industries which now exist in the islands.

### Cure Your Cold with Flax Seed

For many years physicians have been successfully treating Coughs, "Colds," Bronchitis and Consumption with an Emulsion of Flax Seed, called LINONINE. This is not a secret remedy, the formula being on every bottle. It is a palatable emulsion—sweetens cream—made of the oil compressed cold from the finest, selected Flax Seeds and by a scientific process requiring 120 hours.

If you wish to know what this Flax Seed Emulsion will do, write to the makers and they will send you an order on a local druggist for a regular-size package (not a mere sample) and will pay the druggist themselves for it. This is their free gift, made to let the ready itself show you what it can do.

### The First Bottle is Free

**CUT OUT THIS COUPON**  
for it may not appear again and fail to The  
Linonine Co., Hingham, Mass. I have never  
tried Linonine, please supply me with the  
first bottle free.

L.S. Give full address—Write plainly.

### We don't expect you to read this if you are a dead one

THE KIMBALL SYSTEM employs more sign painters than all other shops in town combined and not a letterer hanging around "WAITING FOR SIGN WORK" but everyone hustling every day and long into the night often, to keep abreast of our orders. Does this mean anything? It means just this, WE ARE GIVING SATISFACTION and a whole lot for your money. Want to say further, our painters are not the kind that can do work that will just pass, because I am a crank myself and want all work just right. They have got to be specialists in their particular line. For illustration, painter that does scenic work here wouldn't be expected to go out and letter wagons or a man lettering bulletin boards would hardly do in this shop on a fine gilded glass sign. (They do it in other places though and get away with it, but I don't dare to try it because they expect more of me somehow.) Now comes the reason: "A Jack of all trades" in the sign business can never do justice to anything. If you have trouble with your eyes you go to an eye specialist, and so on. Why not the same rule in signs? Now, in this town it has been the custom until the Kimball System came to say "What do they know?" meaning the public that have signs. "It is good enough for Lowell!" But now you can get the very best in each branch of the sign business by men who have made a life study of their particular line, the same as you could in any other larger city.

If at any time you care to know more about the live sign shop of the town my time is at your disposal, as I just love to talk signs, in fact I don't know much else but signs, but that's all right, I am satisfied.

E. L. KIMBALL of the Kimball System.

N. B.—If you don't know our address ask the first person you meet.

## CAPTAIN HAINS' WIFE WHO MAY OPPOSE HIM



CAPT. HAINS AS HE APPEARED WHEN ARRAIGNED

HAINS CHILDREN

### JOHNNY HAYES WON THE 15 MILE RACE AT BANGOR

BANGOR, Me., April 16.—Johnny Hayes of New York, the Olympic Marathon winner, ran fifteen miles in the auditorium last night against a relay team, composed of Patrick Dineen of South Boston and John H. Neary of South Natick, seven and a half miles each, winning by six laps, all gained in the first half. Dineen ran the first half of the race, and while not in the best condition, ran a consistent race at unvarying gait and speed.

In the last half of the race it was a constant see-saw between Hayes and Neary, the men seldom being more than three or four yards apart and Hayes was two yards in front at the tape, finishing strong in 1:27.13%.

A BEAUTIFUL HEAD of hair is a woman's richest treasure. Do not neglect it, let it become GRAY or FADED. USE

### Hay's Hair Health

and it will be RESTORED to its NATURAL COLOR and beauty; the scalp will be clean, the hair healthy, glossy and luxuriant—something to be proud of and to be admired. Then keep it so in the future by its regular use.

#### IS NOT A DYE.

\$1 AND 50¢ BOTTLES, AT DRUGGISTS.  
"Hay's" Barber Soap cures Eczema, red, ringworm, warts, boils, and all skin diseases. Keeps skin fair and soft. No druggists. Send for free books, "The Care of the Skin," "The Care of the Hair," "Fatty Hay Spec. Co., Newark, N. J.

FALLS & BURKINSHAW

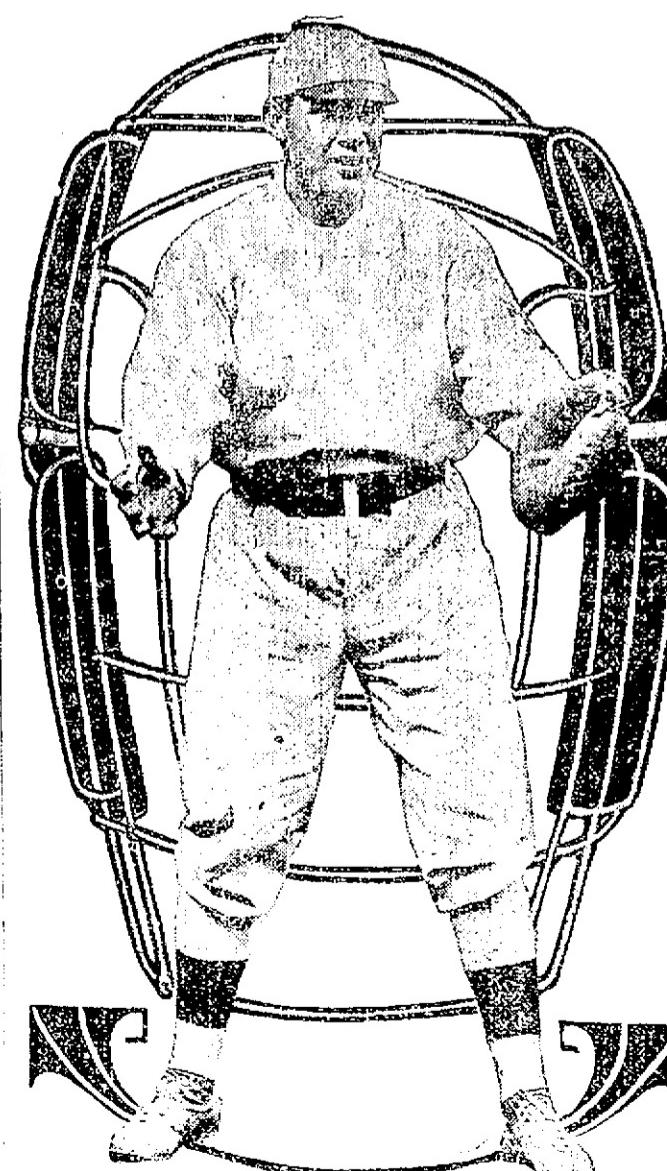
### SAM LANGFORD MAKES PROTEST AGAINST JOHN SON'S ACTION

NEW YORK, Apr. 16.—James Woodman, manager for Sam Langford, the negro pugilist, issued a statement last night protesting against the action of Jack Johnson in making a match with Ketchel in violation of his agreement not to make a match until

he met Langford and his representatives at a meeting scheduled for yesterday.

Langford, he declared, is scheduled to start for England on April 21, but he will postpone his trip for a week and will agree to box Ketchel ten rounds at any local club on April 26 or 27, the winner to take the entire money which may be offered for the boxers' end. He does this, he says, to show that Langford is superior to Ketchel, whom Johnson has made a match.

### "BIG CHIEF" MYERS OF THE GIANTS



NEW YORK, April 16.—It has not been kept it secret ever since he went into professional baseball. While the Giants were in Richmond, Va., recently, the players were told of the name under which Myers participated. When the Indian appeared on the scene some one surprised Myers by calling him "Chief Taftes." The Indian smiled and said: "Well, I guess you fellows have got me with the gods. That is my real name." Myers is a graduate of Dartmouth university and was with the St. Paul club in the American association last season.

## THAW HEIRESS FRANK WEBSTER

### Is Engaged to Marquis Theodoli

PITTSBURG, April 16.—Miss Beatrice Thaw, daughter of Alexander Blair Thaw, second son of the late William Thaw of Pittsburg, is engaged to Mar-

quis Theodoli.

Frank F. Webster, an aged man residing at 333 Mammoth Road, had a narrow escape from being badly hurt in Merrimack square shortly before four o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The man stepped off the curb stone in front of The Sun building and staggered towards an open wagon which was passing through the street. The driver saw the man falling towards him and had the presence of mind to push him to one side and the latter fell to the pavements, striking on his face. But for the fact that the driver pushed the man aside the latter would have fallen under the wheels and probably would have been badly hurt.

The injured man was taken to the waiting room and later removed to his home in the ambulance.

### KILLED HIMSELF Prominent Haverhill Man a Suicide

HAVERHILL, April 16.—Believing that he could not live much longer on account of his illness from hardening of the arteries and apparently wishing to end his suffering Alden P. Jacques, a leading citizen of Haverhill, shot and killed himself at his home yesterday. He arrived home only last night from California, where he had spent the winter and where he was taken ill. Mr. Jacques, who was born at Bowdoin, Me., in 1835, had spent most of his life in this city and became widely known by his introduction of the use of steam power in shoe manufacturing. He had served in both branches of the legislature and the city government. He leaves a widow and one son.

### NATIONAL GUARD

#### In New Hampshire to be Reorganized

CONCORD, N. H., April 16.—Gov. Henry B. Quinby as commander-in-chief of the military forces of the state announced yesterday morning a reorganization of the New Hampshire National Guard to take effect April 27.

The present brigade form of organization is abolished; the two regiments of infantry at present existing are disbanded and in place thereof one new regiment of infantry of twelve companies, under Col. Paul Babbidge of Keene and a coast artillery corps of four companies under command of a major to be appointed later will be created.

One company of cavalry and one field battery of eight artillery will complete the state force under the new order. Manchester will have four companies of infantry, Concord, Nashua and Keene two each, and Berlin and Newport one each.

The coast artillery companies will be located in Portsmouth, Dover, Exeter and Laconia.

### FUNERALS

ROGERS.—The funeral of Mrs. Bridget Rogers took place yesterday morning from her home 33 Fay St., at 8:30 and proceeded to the church of the Sacred Heart where a high mass of requiem was sung by Fr. Smith at 9 o'clock.

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### AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Chicago	2	0	100.00
Boston	1	0	100.00
Brooklyn	1	0	100.00
Pittsburgh	1	1	50.00
Cincinnati	1	1	50.00
Philadelphia	0	0	0.00
New York	0	1	0.00
St. Louis	0	2	0.00

### NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS

At New York—Brooklyn 3, New York 6.

At Chicago—Chicago 10, St. Louis 4.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 7, Pittsburgh 2.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Detroit	2	0	100.00
Cleveland	2	0	100.00
New York	2	1	66.67
Boston	1	1	50.00
Philadelphia	1	1	50.00
Washington	1	2	33.33
Chicago	0	2	0.00
St. Louis	0	2	0.00

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### GAMES TODAY

American League

Boston at Washington.

New York at Philadelphia.

Chicago at Detroit.

Cleveland at St. Louis.

### National League

Philadelphia at Boston.

Brockton at New York.

Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.

St. Louis at Chicago.

### BOSTON GAME

#### POSTPONED ON ACCOUNT OF WET GROUNDS

A party of Lowell baseball fans led by Edmund F. Brady, the royal rooster, went to Boston yesterday expecting to see Philadelphia and Boston play. There was nothing doing on account of wet grounds.

### \$4000 VERDICT

#### IN FAVOR OF A PROVIDENCE CONTRACTOR

BOSTON, April 16.—A verdict of \$4000 was awarded Michael J. Houlihan, a contractor of Providence, R. I., in a suit for \$7500 for breach of contract against St. Anthony's church of New Bedford, in the United States circuit court before Judge Hale late yesterday.

Houlihan had the contract to build the church and in 1907, after a heavy rain, the clere-story wall fell, injuring several workmen and killing one. The contract was taken from Houlihan by the church and awarded another firm, and auditor Clarence H. Cooper, who first heard the case, awarded him \$31,000. The case went to the United States circuit court and the jury after five hours' deliberation late yesterday made the award \$4000.

### HARVARD-YALE

#### BIG BOAT RACE TAKES PLACE ON JULY 1ST

CAMBRIDGE, April 16.—An agreement between the athletic management of Harvard and Yale over the annual regatta on the Thames river at New London, which will be held this year on July 1, was announced last night. The races this year, unless a postponement is necessary, will occupy but one day, instead of the usual two.

After a statement fixing the date of the regatta as July 1, the agreement, which is a lengthy document, outlines in full the schedule of the several races.

It is provided that should either crew become disabled through accident during the first half mile, the race will be started over. A third judge will be an innovation this year.



**LUX**

PURE ESSENCE OF SOAP

FOR SILKS & FINES

WON'T SHRINK WOOLENS

**REV. DR. AKEDE**

Tells of the City's Problem

USES PARABLE OF THE BRAMBLE KING

He Says Politics is a Dirty Trade—  
Bramble King's Flames May Destroy  
Democratic Hopes—Best Brains of  
the Community Needed—What the  
Church Must Do.

"Politics and the Kingdom" was the subject of the second in the Y. M. C. A. course of Bible lectures, and was delivered at the First Baptist church last night by Dr. Charles F. Ake, pastor of the Fifth Avenue Baptist church, New York city.

He opened with the parable of the trees of the forest which chose a "bramble king," from whom the fires burst forth and consume the cedars of Lebanon.

"All the world," said the speaker, "is full of the justification of the parable. If the best men and women will not do the world's work, then other men and women, who are not the best, will have to do it; and woe betide us all for their mistakes and fallacies and crimes. If the best blood and brains are not given to the church, the city and the state, if the best blood and the best brains of the community refuse to work for the community, then humbler workers, it may be more ignorant workers, it may be selfish and evil workers, take up the burden of responsibility which better men and better women have refused to assume. And fires come forth from the bramble king, and consume the cedars of Lebanon. In a democracy, if the best blood and brains are not brought to the assistance of the city, the state and the nation, the flames come forth from the bramble king and consume the body politic."

**City Politics**

"In ancient Greece, a man who did not concern himself in city politics, was called an idiot. In modern America, the citizen who does so concern himself is regarded as a thief. In the view of the Greeks, only the common and the ignorant and the undeveloped, the poor, the 'idiot,' kept himself outside of city politics. In our view, in the dawn of the 20th century, the decent man or woman does not want to touch city politics with a 40-foot pole. Politics is a trade, and a very dirty trade at that. The saloon keeper, the keeper of the gambling hell, the ward politician and the party boss, have entered into an alliance corrupt and corrupted. See to it, since you have chosen and crowned your bramble king—see to it lest flames issue forth from the bramble king and democratic hopes be swept away in the whirlwind of his flames."

"In the land from which I came, in the old, old days when kings ruled by right divine, there were the barons, the great, proprietary lords, just to act as a check upon the king occasionally, to keep him in order. In the process of time the power passed into the hands of the great barons; but by this time there was rising, middle class, which acted as a check upon the great proprietary lords and in a way helped to keep them in order. Time went on, and power passed into the hands of the middle class; but there was rising a great industrial mass of the people which acted as a check upon the middle classes and in a way helped to keep them in order."

"But in this country, and in this day, there is no king ruling by right divine, no proprietary lord, no middle classes. The power is in the hands of all the people. And who is there to keep them in order, if they go wrong? Who is there to be a check upon them, if they are going the downward path? This is a problem for today and for coming days."

"This problem is complicated by the rush of millions of people from the older countries of the old world. Some of them rapidly become Americans in heart and spirit and show themselves valuable as an asset. But many of them become American citizens long before they become Americans, and they constitute not an asset at all, but a menace. The problem of democracy in this country is considerably complicated by this condition."

"What force is there inherent in the law and constitution, which will not be blown to the four winds of heaven by the breath of some demagogue? What force is there in the country to inspire these millions with their stunted minds and their slowly opening eyes, with new and nobler ideals, and with the hopes and purposes and the principles which have made this country great?"

"It is not enough to rely on education. One man may scientifically cure a fever, and another may scientifically demoralize a town. It does not do to depend upon education alone."

"But what can we do, to prevent the nation going on choosing its bramble king? This is quite certain—that the churches cannot become political. It is politics, which have to be made religious. The preacher of the gospel cannot identify himself with a party and speak from the pulpit as a party man. There have been times when that became necessary; there might come a time again. Thank God there is no such obligation upon me at the present time. Coming as I came, from another land, I look upon your political parties with a degree of amazement for which I have no adequate words. I do not know which of the parties is the worse, or worst."

"It comes really to this: What the churches hope to do, is to shape righteously, public opinion. There they ought to be supreme. They cannot coerce. Their authority is inward and spiritual. This authority the church ought to exert—remodeling and reshaping public opinion."

"In time of war, no country has ever shown a more ardent, stirring patriotism than this. Why can you not realize the same need and the same obligation of patriotism in these piping times of peace? It will not be enough for the Christian church to teach that a life of political service is consistent with the profession of Christianity. That is little. You must not say it is consistent with our Christianity for a man to try to discharge the obligations of citizenship. You must say it is absolutely and forever inconsistent with Christianity for a man not to discharge the obligations of citizenship, and that the man is not doing his duty as a Christian, who is not trying to get his city governed by Christians and on Christian lines."

"The crying need of this country, and this day, is the service of city, state and nation, by all its children, both men and women. You simply cannot afford to allow the manhood represented in the churches to be ready to serve the country with gun or bayonet, in time of war, but not ready to serve the city, state and nation along those paths of social service. Neither can you afford to allow the mighty force of women

hood, wifehood and motherhood, to be lost to the city, the state and the nation."

"Never, in the history of this country, have we extended the franchise to a class on the ground of their education, and never has there been in the history of civilization an extension of the suffrage to any class previously unenfranchised, who were so well fitted for the extension of the franchise to them, as the American women of today."

### LOWELL MEN

WANT REPRESENTATION ON C. T. A. U. BOARD OF OFFICERS

At the C. T. A. U. convention in Boston next Monday Lowell and North Chelmsford delegates as well as those from Woburn and Wakefield, will, it is

said, support a candidate from this section for the vacancy on the board of government caused by the retirement of Secretary Ward. It is generally conceded that Lawyer Callahan of Norwood will be elected financial secretary, as he has given ample satisfaction as corresponding secretary, and the contest will come for the place now held by Mr. Callahan. Lawyer Patrick D. Walsh of Roxbury is an avowed candidate for the place. The Lowell end of the district will, it is understood, have several candidates for other offices in the field; one of whom, Neil J. Doherty of Woburn, is a most formidable candidate for vice president against Lawrence E. Murphy of Boston.

The delegates in Lowell, Woburn and Wakefield feel that the offices should be distributed as much as possible in other sections, rather than in and around Boston and will make a strong bid to have such an arrangement carried out. District Deputies Neil J. Doherty of Woburn, John J. Coyne and John V. Donoghue of Lowell, have submitted their reports to Pres. John T. Shea, of the Union. Deputy Coyne is being discussed as a candidate for the board of government, and if he decides to run his Lowell friends feel confident he can defeat Lawyer Walsh for the place. Vice Pres. James F. Riley of the Mathews has also been suggested as a possible candidate along

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NEW YORK, April 16.—A big red Birch family is "on its hoppers" she still saves all her sweetness and some of her money for him.

Miss Eva, each Saturday afternoon, pockets a pay envelope in which are \$20 for her services to a shirt waist house in Fifth avenue. Birch, not allowed inside the shirt waist store, keeps an appointment each Saturday evening on a certain corner and reports all the "turn downs" he has had through the week. Miss Eva gives him all she can spare.

"I say, you know, this is a deuce of a thing for a chap to be doing," said Eustace with a blush when a reporter pried him to a quiet place.

Birch, who is only 24 years old, has spent something like \$40,000 in the giddy whirl of London, but with the money all gone the blush remained.

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## DEATHS

KENNEDY—Mrs. Bridget Kennedy died at her home, 8 rear of 225 Suffolk street, yesterday. Deceased was the wife of the late Patrick Kennedy. She leaves two sons.

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If you want your children to grow up strong, sturdy and vigorous hair teach them to use Parisian Sage, the world-renowned hair nourisher.

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For 50 cents you get a much larger finished fast evading and the very bottle than the makers of ordinary tonics. Part of the morning session was to be given, and if you are not satisfied to go to a conference between counsel you can have your money back. The on both sides and Judge Stevens' right with the Auburn hair is on every tie to points of law and points upon which the arguments were to be made.

## COURT ADJOURS THE "BLACK HAND"

Judge Stevens to preside at Murder Trial

KELLY, INSURANCE CASE WENT TO JURY TODAY

Supreme Judicial Court Comes In Next Tuesday at the Court House on Cornhill Street.

The case of Kelly vs. The Mutual Life Insurance company of New York went to the jury today and the superior court then adjourned for two weeks to allow Judge Stevens to sit on the Jordan murder trial, which will open in Cambridge on Tuesday. Deputy Sheriff Stiles, Evelyn and Clark of this end of the district are also to do court duty on this case while Clerk Ralph Smith, who is assigned to this civil term, will remain in Lowell and officiate at the session of the supreme judicial court which comes in at Lowell on Tuesday. While the adjournment is made for two weeks there is also a strong possibility that it will be nearer four before Judge Stevens will be able to return to this city as it is understood that many witnesses will be called in the murder trial. The jurors not sitting on the Kelly case were excused yesterday for two weeks while the others were excused after they had returned their verdict in the Kelly case.

The evidence in the Kelly case was for 50 cents you get a much larger finished fast evading and the very bottle than the makers of ordinary tonics. Part of the morning session was to be given, and if you are not satisfied to go to a conference between counsel you can have your money back. The on both sides and Judge Stevens' right with the Auburn hair is on every tie to points of law and points upon which the arguments were to be made.

MILLINOCKET, Me., April 16.—That Millinocket has a branch of the "black hand" was brought out yesterday in the trial of Luigi Costantino and Rafael Abote, charged with highway robbery upon Angelo Cesare, another Italian.

The respondents were bound over and sent to Bangor jail to await the August term of court. At a hearing before Justice Stearns, Cesare said that while he was on the way to the paper mill in his home in the Italian colony, known as Little Italy, late on the night of March 21, he was stopped by two men whom he claimed to have identified as the respondents.

He says they made him give up \$120 in money at the point of a knife and had revolvers strapped around their waists. Luigi Monaco, another Millinocket Italian, says that the same men searched him one night but he had no money.

The came to his shack one night, he said and told him that he must join the "Black Hand" or they would take him to a barber shop and cut off his hair. Only members of the "Black Hand" could wear their hair long in fact.

Giovanni Lucianna also testified that the two men had asked him to join the "Black Hand" and had threatened him. Other Italians said that the two men were constantly talking "Black

Hand," and that some of the Italians were afraid of them. They said that there were many members of the "Black Hand" in Millinocket.

NORTHFIELD SUMMER SCHOOL

NORTHFIELD, April 16.—The program for the summer schools conference held here annually, and commencement and 30th anniversary of the Northfield seminary is nearly complete.

At the general conference of Christian workers in session the first two weeks of August many speakers of prominence, from all parts of this country, Canada and England are expected. Included among them are:

Rev. G. A. Johnston-Ross, Cambridge, England; Rev. J. S. Stuart Hodder; London; Rev. J. H. Jewett, Birmingham, England; Rev. John A. Hutton, Glasgow; Rev. Arthur T. Pierson, Brooklyn; Rev. John Douglas Adams, East Orange, and Rev. Gleason Atkins, Detroit. The dates already announced are:

June 12-15, inclusive, Northfield semi-annual commencement and 30th anniversary, July 2-11, inclusive, student conference; July 13-20, inclusive, young

women's conference; July 14-20, inclusive, women's home missionary conference; July 22-29, inclusive, summer school for women's foreign missionary society; July 22-29, inclusive, summer school for Sunday school workers; Aug. 17 until about Oct. 1, post-conference addresses.

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# The General of Militant Peace

BY  
CHARLES EDWARD RUSSELL



MRS. CATHERINE MUMFORD BOOTH.

**T**HIS Easter season brings to General William Booth, founder and head of the Salvation Army, his eightieth birthday.

A very remarkable man—on the whole, I think the most remarkable man of his times—for sixty-five years he has toiled without ceasing for the one purpose of helping his fellow men; as, according to his faith, they needed help. In these labors he has created from his own indefatigable brain the great, wonderful, worldwide, perfectly organized, smoothly working, efficient, ably officered, tireless, restless Salvation Army, whose flag now flies in fifty-four different countries and colonies, whose officers number 16,193, whose 8,335 corps and outposts carry on a gigantic and faultless plan of campaign in thirty-one different languages and whose converts and benefactors, he'd men and rescued women, saved children and enlightened lives, if any one could count them, would mount into millions upon millions.

And now he has crowned it all with a unique beneficence—a University of Humanity, a great, broad school he has planned in which to train men and women to deal with misfortune. He begins the raising of the endowment fund of \$1,000,000 on his birthday and has planned branches for New York and Chicago.

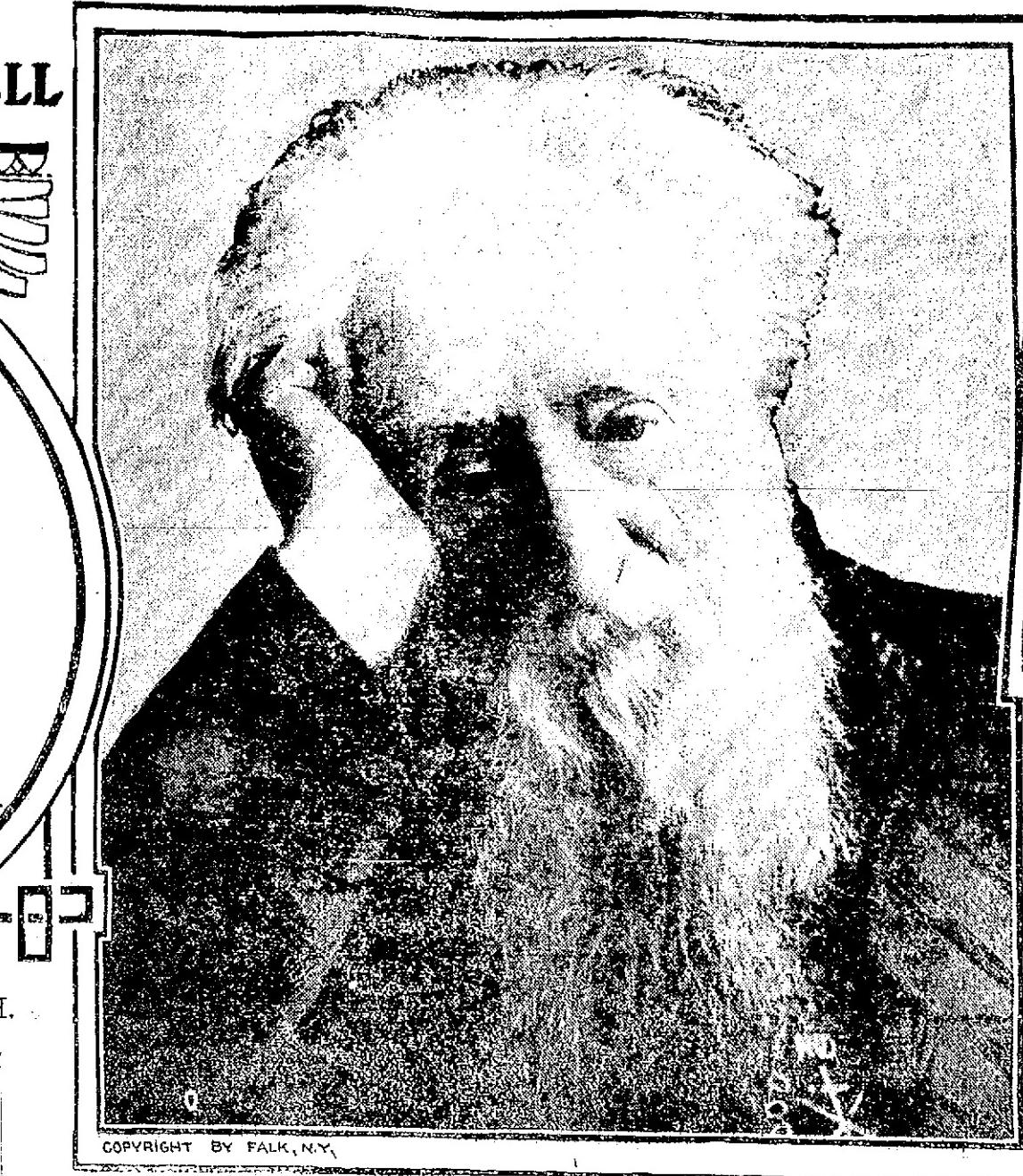
All this is the product of one man's heart and brain. I do not know that, as a matter of fact, any other man ever stood in such any position toward the world. Merely as an example of the potentiality of human achievement I doubt if it be possible to cite anything so extraordinary in history. With General Booth's fundamental theology one may have no particular sympathy, and yet one is bound to admit that even to the worlding the grandeur, the extent and the impeccable success of this man's life work seem on inspection something overwhelming. We test by results.

You ought to know this man; he is good to know; he raises the human average. Let me see if I can help you to his acquaintance.

Here is the worst region of a dreadful slum in the heart of an English factory city, on all sides the brooding darkness of poverty, dismal streets, torlorn dwellings, hopeless people at a corner of the ragged and dirty; in the center thereof, on an upturned box, a singularly handsome and passionately earnest boy preaching. He is sixteen years old or thereabout, slender of frame, clear of voice, wonderfully ready of speech. His gray eyes burn and glow. There is a kind of apostolic flame in every word.

While he pleads the crowd, products of the savage conditions of modern life and debased by brutal toil, yell and laugh and offer comment of the heel-hoed order of wits. Finding these have no ears, some ruffians hurl at the young preacher pell-mell, decayed vegetable molds, two or three dead cats. Some of the missiles hit him in the face, some on the body, some go wide. He shows not the least resentment; he only smiles in a kindly, patient way, very moving, and goes on preaching as before. At the end he dashes from his clothes the marks of the missiles and carefully gathers his hearers to go with him to the chapel.

A rugged youth follows him, portentous, just defiant, part touched with the fire and pathos of the young man's fervor, yet. So wrapt and tattered is the old soldier of these people from the slums that at the respectable chapel there are turned from the front door and obliged to enter at the rear of the building. The young man leads them in finds touches for them, seats himself among them. At every opportunity he gives them words of comfort and cheer, presses their hands, urges upon them the hope and security of the Christian. He goes about them, unperceived still. As the



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GENERAL WILLIAM BOOTH.

ices were like and looked in. Some thing about the ardent fervor of the worshippers aroused his interest. He remained until the close of the meeting and returned to the next. The more he saw the more he was impressed. In the end he underwent what is called conversion, and, with his mother's full consent, became a member of the Methodist church.

At once he asked for work that he might share with others the peculiar

satisfaction and joy that he felt in his new relation—a characteristic desire,

since he has all his life craved em-

ployment as other men crave rapese

and has all his life held the first ob-

ject of his industry to be its fellow-

man. They gave him work in the

Narrow Meadows—most inappropri-

ately, since nothing like meadows ex-

ists within miles, and the terrible re-

gion is closely packed with the grimy

and forbidding houses of the poorest

people in Nottingham. It was here, a

heartless boy, without experience or

training, lifting up his voice to some of

the most melancholy wrecks on earth

and the most wretched of the poor, he

was a young woman named Catherine Mumford. She thought William Booth's sermon the finest effort of the day, and she was won over to him.

While thus employed coincidental-

ly, or, as he would say, Providence

led him to the second great inspira-

tion of his life. One Sunday he was

invited to supply the pulpit of a small

chapel in Clapton. In that audience

was a young woman named Catherine Mumford. She thought William

Booth's sermon the finest effort of the day, and she was won over to him.

In the morning, and his health was so

fragile that his friends often despaired

of him and a physician solemnly warn-

ed him against exposure or overexer-

cise. All these fears and suggestions

he resolutely put aside, pursuing with-

out hesitation the course he had charted

for himself and looking calmly upon

his life or his death if he could win

men to what he was convinced was the

cause of salvation. A young friend and

coworker fell at his side, stricken

dead in the prayer meeting. If at no

counts were it should be Booth's

own turn next. With unconcern he

viewed that imminent probability, he

and yet his wife, their idea being that

they might go when the Lord called him;

meanwhile he would rest not, but strive

to make the world better for all men.

These were the days, from sixteen to

twenty, when still earning his living

in his congenital employment he was

devoting his nights to street preaching

in the byways and purloins of the Not-

tingham slums. At the end of his of-

fice he would at first invite his

hearers into some house where a few

friends had gathered to pray. The confe-

rence meeting was in progress when

his followers became too numerous to

be contained in any house, and he led

his little army of hearers to the chapel

where rude benches were procured for

their separate congregation and where

he sat at a table, reading the Bible.

Even then, so young, he was compelled

to sit on the floor, and the floor was

filled to the brim with one thousand

and one thousand five hundred people.

It was clear to carry when

the last fortunate man needed a seat

and that as there was no depth to the

church floor, the floor itself was raised

so that the floor was level with the

heads of the people.

Discerning persons taking note of

the moving eloquence and power of

this young man, urged him to enter a college of divinity and employment and

the ministry. His physician examined

him and told him that with such a

body as his he could not live to be

more than four or five years, but

he would like to see what such a

body could do for him.

The family was originated in the Es-

tablished Church of England, but of

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he passed a Wesleyan chapel where

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# ONE MAN KILLED

Another Fatally Injured in Auto Accident in New York

NEW YORK, April 16.—An auto ride to death, the front seat on which he was sitting being driven backward by one of their number and fatal injury to another when a touring car in the rear seat of the conneaut. Joseph which they were driving at a terrific speed crashed into a fence in Central concrete walk adjoining the driveway park at dawn today. Matthew Camp, and suffered a fracture of the skull, an employee of the Moon Auto Co., who from which he was expected to recover, was acting as chauffeur. Ernest Freyer was thrown out of

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the machine and his right leg fractured. Joseph Hoyt, the fourth occupant of the car, fell upon the turf and abandoning his injured companion, fled in a panic for the subway station where he was captured by a policeman and arrested. The car was badly smashed.

## CHORUS CHOIR

Gave Fine Program at First Cong. Church

An artistic concert was given last evening by the chorus choir of the First Congregational church, assisted by Miss Elizabeth Poole, reader; Miss Ruth Barney, soprano; Miss Vera McArden, contralto, and Frank B. Murphy, tenor. The concert opened with an organ recital by Solon W. Stevens.

Owing to the illness of Miss Ida Wilson, Miss Vera McArden, contralto,

took her place and charmed her audience.

A finely selected program was ex-

cellently carried out under the direction of Mr. Murphy, and Mrs. Wendell Wheeler was accompanist. The mem-

bers of the chorus were:

Sopranos—Miss Ruth M. Barney,

Miss Alice Corcoran, Miss Little S. Cutler, Mrs. Ellen Drexett, Mrs. Elizabeth Faulkner, Misses Jessie C. Hanson, Myrtle B. Houston, Bertha C. Hoyt, May Irene, Ruth Kenworthy, Gladys A. Kimball, Lona King, Bertha Mattley, Mildred G. Melvin, Edith R. Preston, Ethel L. Putnam, Jessie B. Richardson, Annie M. Robbins, Jessie L. M. Watling, Bessie Worrall, Mrs. Anna Whitter.

Altos—Mrs. Elsie Hanson, Miss Clara B. Hill, Mrs. Caroline J. Cogswell, Mrs. Leonora Fulton, Miss Etta Dodge, Mrs. Clara A. Staples.

Tenors—George Faulkner, Will Garrett, Albert A. Jones, Merritt Kimball, Wm. A. Lifford, Thomas Pickles.

Basses—Irman R. Blanchard, Eldridge Hutchinson, Earl Fuller, Arthur Galley, Donald Hanson, James Houston, Walter H. Hoyt, Frank B. Hull, Fred Lang, Frank W. Leighton, Wendell Wheeler.

## EASTER SALE

HELD AT THE SWEDISH LUTHERAN CHURCH

The annual Easter sale and concert of the Swedish Lutheran church was held last night in the church vestry. The parishioners turned out in large numbers and the evening was spent in a most enjoyable manner. The affair was under the direction of the Immanuel society of the church.

The program of the entertainment was as follows: Singing by the church choir; reading, Miss Emma Wogand; piano solos, Misses Olga Johnson and Emma Peterson; song, Miss Helma Hanson; address, F. E. Lindquist; reading, Miss Helma Holmsted; violin solo, Miss Jeda Nelson. The accompanist was Mrs. Herma Fred.

The tables were for the sale of different articles. They were the fancy goods, candy, flower, apron and a table for the sale of miscellaneous articles. There was also a table for the serving of cake and coffee. Miss Anna Anderson had general charge of the fair.

## ARTHUR TEMPLE

Of Lamson Store Service Co. Dead.

SALEM, April 16.—Arthur S. Temple, leading business man of this city and for several years treasurer of the Lamson Store Service Co., died at his home here today as the result of an operation for appendicitis. He was 50 years of age and leaves a widow and one daughter.

## CHAPTER DAY

WAS OBSERVED BY OLD BAY STATE CHAPTER, D. A. R.

"Chapter Day" was observed by Old Bay State Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, Wednesday, at the Spalding house in Pawtucket street.

After a reception the members re-

paired to the hall where the tenth anni-

versary of the founding of the chapter was observed. A well arranged enter-

tainment program was carried out

during the afternoon. The first num-

ber on the program was "Night and

Dawn" by Fairchild, which was sung by

Miss Julia Fox. Miss Parker intro-

duced George W. Putnam, who read a

original paper on "The Wit and Hu-

mor of Revolutionary Times," which

was received with much enthusiasm.

Miss Fox sang "An Open Secret" (Woodman), and for encore "A Bowl of

Ices" (Clarke), followed by a piano solo, "Rushes of Spring" (Slindig),

played by Miss Maude Marshall. Mrs.

Arthur Ferguson and Miss Taber

served in the dining room, assisted by

the Misses Dame and Marshall and

Miss Ethel Livingstone.

## FRED R. COME

OF THE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA IS DEAD

BOSTON, April 16.—The death of Fred R. Come, assistant manager of the Boston Symphony orchestra and well known throughout the musical world of the country, was announced today.

Mr. Come was connected with Bos-  
ton's great musical organization almost  
from its inception and in addition has  
been active in the management of  
many musical celebrities.

He was 55 years of age and leaves a

widow.

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may be subjected to worms—which make them thin, pale, sickly and irritable.

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400 Yards Inlaid Linoleums (regular \$1.10 grades), for Friday and Saturday ..... 79c

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## GOOKIN FURNITURE CO. PRESCOTT STREET

## FOR SEWER WORK

The Committee Recommends \$56,000 Loan

Favorable action on the following petitions was taken by the committee on sewers at a meeting held last evening:

Thomas J. Sullivan, that a sewer be laid in Dracut street from Sixth avenue to lot 147.

C. Destrempe, that a sewer be laid in Barker street from Fisher street to Exeter street.

Lauriston E. Boynton, that a sewer be laid in Richardson street from the main sewer westerly about 125 feet.

John J. Colton, M. D., that the sewer in Varnum avenue be extended from Wm. A. Ayer to the Parsons.

Emmig B. Woessner, that a sewer be built in Fruit, Quebec, Marriner streets, Boston road, Penn and Ayer avenues, Plain street.

The petition of Edward F. Lamson and others for a sewer in Beacon street was tabled. A second petition for a sewer in Beacon street is soon to reach the committee and both petitions will be acted upon at the same time.

The committee voted to recommend a loan of \$56,000 for the season's sewer work. It was said that \$56,000 would be enough for sewer construction and that \$60,000 additional would be necessary to put into the general treasury fund, this amount having been taken

from the general treasury early in the year for the Oakland sewer.

## CHELMSFORD

The third social of the Passaconaway club of Lowell was held last evening in the town hall with another large and merry attendance. There were twenty numbers on the program for which Hibbard's orchestra of five pieces furnished music. Dancing continued until just time to catch the last car for the city. Those responsible for the success of the affair were: Fred Santum, general manager; Charles J. Martin, assistant general manager; E. Nickels, assistant floor director; chief aid, Frank Rinney; aids, Gen. Sullivan, Wm. Martin, Minor Lovering; George Ryer, James Kershaw, John O'Connell.

## PASTOR CALLED

The French Congregational society of this city has called to the pastorate of the church, corner of Bowes and Fletcher streets, the Rev. Dr. Rivier, who has been substituting at the church for the last two Sundays. Dr. Rivier is a native of France, but has lived in this country for many years.

## A NOVEL ADVERTISEMENT

O. E. Coon, Jeweler at 34 Prescott street, is having a very successful Alteration Auction Sale. His latest is a numbered ticket with a duplicate given to each adult present at the beginning and end of each night's sale, the holder of which is entitled to one chance on a fine Diamond Ring valued at nearly \$50 that Mr. Coon is to give away absolutely free on the last night of his sale. You should attend every night's sale and get as many chances as possible. Diamond Ring on exhibition in his window.

## MATINEE SALE SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

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— if I could explain to her the way Mr. Nelson had conducted his business before his death—how his goods were sold on the "one price" system—a \$35 suit for \$35, no more or less (his price marks were on every piece of goods);

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**WILL GIVE \$1000**

Union Bank Directors  
for Auto Carnival

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Union National bank, held late yesterday afternoon, the directors—not as directors of the bank, but as individuals—personally agreed to contribute the sum of \$1000 to the \$10,000 fund for the promotion of the automobile carnival as proposed by the Lowell Automobile association. This is the largest contribution yet received and it is hoped that at the meeting of the finance committee of the auto club to be held tonight at the rooms of the board of trade the committee will be able to report that enough money has been secured to assure the holding of the great auto carnival.

The directors of the bank voted to authorize the cashier to express for them the opinion that the enterprise as outlined was a worthy one and that it merited the support and assistance of the business interests of Lowell.

**FUNERALS**

**GIRARD**—The funeral of George E. Girard took place yesterday morning from his home, 51 Moody street, with a large number of friends and relatives in attendance. Solemn funeral services were said at St. Jean Baptiste church, Rev. Fr. Brulard, O. M. I., was the celebrant, with Rev. Frs. Ehrhard and Ouellette, O. M. I., as assistants. The choir sang Perrault's harmonized mass under the direction of Dr. George E. Caisse, with Arthur J. Martel at the organ at the offertory. Dr. Caisse sang "Pleas Jesus" and at the elevation "O Merton Passions."

The bearers were Arthur Lavale, Michel Mayotte and Michel Buote of the Catholic Brothers, and Eugene G. Roussel, Frank Ricard and Antoine Retté, O. M. I., officiated at the grave. Misses Mr. and Mrs. Jere O'Brien and

delegates from three organizations charge.

**KIRANE**—The funeral of Miss Dell Kirane took place from the home of her parents at Prospect street, this morning, a mass of requiem being sung at St. Peter's church by Rev. Fr. Muller, O. F. in which the deceased held the rank of lieutenant. This last delegation, in uniform, escorted the body on foot. There were a great many floral tributes, testifying to the general affection and esteem in which the deceased was held. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, and Rev. Fr. Barrett, O. M. I., officiated at the grave. Undertaker Joseph Albert had charge.

**PERRAULT**—The funeral of Jacques Perrault took place yesterday morning from his home in Merrimack street, with funeral services at St. Jean Baptiste church, Rev. Fr. Lavette, O. M. I., officiated. The bearers were William Perrault, Amédée Perrault, Ulric Lacombe, Fortunat Poulin, Albert Croreau and Avila Leblanc. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery and Rev. Fr. Barrett, O. M. I., officiated at the grave. Misses Anna Lewing, Winnie O'Loughlin, May Donnelly, Helen Daly, Elizabeth McNeela, Margaret Nichols, Lena Sullivan and Mamie McGuire; large basket of roses and violets. Mr. John E. Shea and family; wreath of galax leaves and ferns. Mrs. Lannon and family; spray of white tulips. Cousin John Hannigan; spray of Easter lilies. Mr. and Mrs. Jere O'Brien and

family; spray Mrs. J. J. Donnelly; and family; spray Miss May Hedges; spray Mr. and Mrs. Scully; spray, Mrs. May Farley and family; spray, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Tuttle. The funeral arrangements were under the direction of Undertaker John J. O'Connell.

**PARLEY**—All that was mortal of the late Mary Farley was tenderly consigned to its last resting place in the Catholic cemetery Friday morning. The funeral cortège left the late home of the deceased, 11 Fay street, at 3:30 o'clock, followed by a vast concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends and wended its way to the Sacred Heart church where, at 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was sung. The celebrant of the mass was the Rev. James Farley, of Lewiston, Me., son of the deceased, assisted by the Rev. Frank Rogers of Winchester, Mass., as deacon, and the Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I., pastor of the church as sub-deacon. The choir sang the Gregorian mass. At the offertory "Pie Jesu" was rendered by Mrs. Adelaida A. Muldoon and as the body was being borne from the church "De Profundis" was sung by the sanctuary choir. Mrs. Adelaida A. Muldoon had charge of the choir, and she also presided at the organ. Although it was requested by the family not to send flowers, there was a profusion of beautiful and appropriate floral offerings, showing the esteem in which the deceased was held by her many friends and acquaintances. Assisting inside the sanctuary rail were the Rev. Lawrence Tighe, O. M. I., Rev. Bernard Fletcher, O. M. I., and the Rev. Dennis A. Sullivan, O. M. I., of the Immaculate Conception church. The bearers were Messrs. Dennis Meagher, James Farley, James Casey and John O'Connor. The ushers at the house and at the church were Messrs. John Burns, Thomas Quigley, Joseph Quinn, John Quinn and Charles W. Thompson of Boston. The services at the grave were conducted by the Rev. Frank Rogers and Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I. Interment was in charge of Higgins Bros. undertakers.

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**REV. J. H. TOBIN**

Well Known Priest  
Passed Away

Lowell people attended the funeral services over the remains of the late Rev. John H. Tobin at St. Patrick's church in Fall River today, at which

church Rev. Fr. Tobin was stationed since his ordination a few years ago. Rev. Fr. Tobin was a native of Peabody and received his early education in the Catholic schools of that place. He then went to Baltimore for his academic and theological courses and trained for the priesthood under the Sulpician fathers in charge of St. Mary's seminary.

After his ordination Fr. Tobin frequently visited friends in Lowell. He was assigned to St. Patrick's church in Fall River after his ordination, being one of the assistants to Rev. J. M. Cooke, the pastor. The young priest entered his work with a zeal that

gained for him many friends, and in the following years no clergyman in Fall River was better known.

Along about the first of the present year Fr. Tobin began to show unmistakable signs of failing health, and for a time was in a hospital in Providence. He seemed to be improving, and resumed his duties. This, rally, however, was short-lived, and in a few weeks he was again taken ill. It was found that he was suffering from a complication of ailments, and a visit to the south was ordered.

Fr. Tobin went to Norfolk, and at first it was expected that he would fully recover. The change of climate

had a good but not lasting effect, and soon the old trouble returned, and last Monday night the young priest died.

Bishop Feehan of Fall River and Fr. Cooke, the pastor of St. Patrick's church, were shocked at the unexpected news as were all the Catholic people of Fall River who had known of Fr. Tobin's labors for the parishioners.

Extra large Delaware Shad, 35c, at The Tarpin Saturday.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

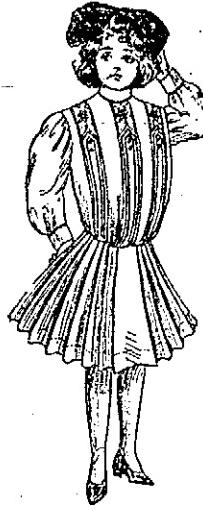
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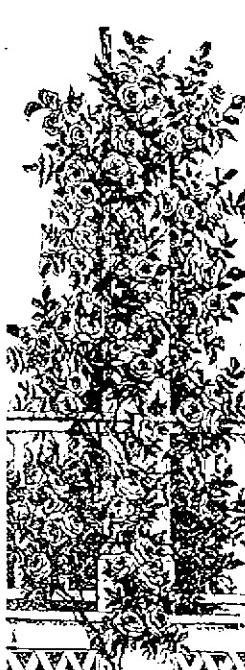
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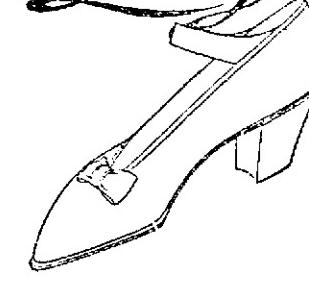
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## WOMEN'S SUITS

If you want your Suit for Patriots Day come here today—Despite our big Easter Suit business we were able to deliver all garments at the appointed time regardless of unexpected alterations.

AT \$19.50 we show a very swagger style. Strictly man tailored Suit. In all the new colors and a variety of models. All wool worsted materials and fancy stripes.

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## Children's New Spring Coats

Children's Coats, 2 to 6 years, colors red, blue and brown .....\$2.25  
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Corset Covers, with deep lace yoke and two rows of ribbon run. 25c value .....19c

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Combinations, made of good cambric, with deep lace yoke and beading, a 75c value. Ask to see them .....

Combinations, with deep yoke of hamburg, also lace and beading; corset cover and skirt and corset cover and drawers. Regular price \$1.00. 75c

Night Robes of unstarched cambric with deep lace yoke, also hamburg trimmed; high neck, long sleeves; or low neck, short sleeves. Regular price 75c .....

The storm Wednesday and Thursday prevented many from attending our Big Sale of Rugs and Draperies. In order to give all who wish a chance to secure some of these great bargains we shall continue this sale until closing time Saturday evening.

## THE GILBRIDE COMPANY

THE RELIABLE STORE ON THE CORNER

JOHN P. DELANEY

ENTERTAINED A NUMBER OF HIS

FRIENDS

John P. Delaney, son of John J. Delaney, the well known local tailor, who is home from the Randolph school for the Easter vacation, tendered a pleasant party last night to a number of his friends at the home of his parents, 204 South street. During the evening a pleasing musical and literary program was carried out, games were enjoyed and refreshments served.

Master Delaney is making rapid progress in his studies at Randolph, and has become proficient in the art of painting, some of his sketches having been favorably commented upon by well known painters.

### STAR THEATRE

A comedy musical act by Robson and Wilson will be seen at the Star theatre on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, and on the last three days of the week Jimmie and Marie Parrott, sketch artists, and Miss Leslie Palmer, concert comedian, will be seen. This big bill of three acts with a full chance on Thursdays will be offered for the same admission of five cents, for which a seat can be had. No better vaudeville will be presented elsewhere in the city and at the price there has always prevailed at the theatre large crowds are predicted.

See O. E. Con's ad. in this issue.

### FUNERALS

HOYE--The funeral of Mrs. Susan Masterson Hoye took place this morn-

ing at 8.30 from her late home, 15 Butternut street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased. The funeral cortège proceeded to St. Patrick's church, where at 9 o'clock a funeral high mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Curtin. The choir, under the direction of Mr. M. J. Johnson, sang the Gregorian mass. At the offertory "Domine Jesu Christi" was rendered and at the conclusion of the mass in Paradise" was sung and as the organists were leaving borne from

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J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public

This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

**FREE HIDES IN JEOPARDY.**

It is announced that the senate may place hides upon the protected list in spite of the agitation to have them admitted free as raw material for the shoe factories. Should this be done it would be a continuation of what must be regarded as a gross injustice to New England. Free hides would lessen the price of shoes and thus help not only New England but the entire country. That does not seem to be the object of the republicans who are framing the tariff law.

**REGULATIONS FOR SUNDAY SHOWS.**

The orders issued by General Whitney of the district police for the regulation of Sunday entertainments are sensible and proper. They are not narrow and chimerical. They have regard for the physical health and the prevention of disease as well as the elimination of everything melodramatic, sensational or immoral.

Everybody will rejoice that the barker is tabooed for this is one of the most objectionable features of the Sunday entertainment. Moreover it is usually the very worst entertainments that are boomed in this manner. The rules forbid the attendance of children at moving picture shows unless in company with adults. On the whole these regulations will correct a good many minor abuses that have crept into the entertainment business, especially on Sundays.

**THE LOWELL DELEGATION TO BLAME.**

It appears now to be admitted generally that the charter bill was defeated by the Lowell delegation to the legislature.

The republican representatives and the republican senator were responsible for the adverse report of the committee on cities. They were undoubtedly of the opinion that it might lessen the chances of republican success in local elections. They did not like the idea of dropping the party designations. Some of the representatives to the legislature thought it might injure their own political chances. By opposing the bill they opposed the best interests of the city. That is why the people of Lowell should see that these representatives be retired to private life next fall as they have betrayed the interests of their city and of their constituents. They are politicians working for their own personal ends and are likely to prove recreant to the interests of their constituents in the legislature on other matters as well as upon the city charter. The petitioners may ask to have a modified bill passed but the changes which the Lowell delegation will admit are hardly worth seeking.

**SEQUEL OF PURE FOOD LAWS.**

The pure food laws adopted by the United States have done a great deal to prevent adulterations and consequent impositions upon the public.

The people can rely now with reasonable certainty upon getting what they ask for. They can rely that things are labeled truthfully and not to deceive the public. The law forbids the use of poisonous preservatives such as borax, salicylic acid and other compounds of a poisonous nature.

Another phase of this question comes up for consideration and is one that should be brought to the attention of the people at large. It is plain that without the preservatives formerly used certain foods will spoil more quickly. As a result meat, fish, fowl, sausage, oysters and other perishable foods are liable to spoil so quickly as to deceive both dealer and consumer.

It is alleged that a great many cases of ptomaine poisoning have occurred since the passage of the pure food laws, simply because the foods mentioned were found to spoil more quickly than before. Thus while the pure food law compels truthful labels it cannot prevent the food from spoiling within a very short time, sometimes in the consumer's hands and sometimes before reaching the consumer. More care will therefore have to be exercised in testing the quality and the freshness of perishable articles of food, as without the use of preservatives they may spoil very quickly, and in that condition generate dangerous poisons. This is undoubtedly a phase of the pure food crusade that was not anticipated.

**THE CORNER IN WHEAT.**

James A. Patten of Chicago has cornered the wheat market, and now the price of flour and consequently the price of bread is likely to go up all over the country.

The authorities at Washington are considering whether there is any provision of law by which speculators can be prevented from cornering the wheat supply. In other countries it would be a sufficient cause for the imprisonment of the speculators. Here it seems that under our free government a speculator is privileged to take all the advantage he can of the market or the wheat supply of the country.

Mr. Patten himself claims that his transactions are perfectly legitimate, that he simply purchases the wheat in advance and stands responsible for payment. That may be true, but at the same time the result is disastrous to the entire country and it inflicts a serious loss upon the whole people. That is one reason why it should be stopped by provision of law. It should be made a criminal offense, if it is not so already, to corner any of the necessities of life.

If the present trust law does not prohibit this extreme form of speculation then a new law should be made to apply to this particular class of evils. It is the worst kind of conspiracy to rob the people, and it is done openly and has been so done for years. It is Patten this year; it was Leiter a few years ago, and before that it was old Butch.

It is time that the government interposed its authority in the interests of the masses to prevent the cornering of the wheat supply as one of the worst evils of speculation that can be perpetrated upon the people.

**PEOPLE OF NOTE**

In a fortnight Miss Gence, the dancer, will end her work for the year, and take leave of "The Soul Kiss" for good and all. She will return at once to England, and for a long holiday, but in the autumn she will come back to America to appear in a new play which, if she has her way, will make a far more fitting frame for her charms.

The New York Times recently quotes Mr. Sothern as saying: "Next season I intend to do 'Macbeth' and then 'King Lear.' I have been preparing them for a long time and am getting impatient to do them. You see I want to get my Beking right away."

Margaret Anglin, the actress, having terminated her season in Australia, is now on a pleasure trip around the world and shortly will start for home. She has purchased a cottage in the neighborhood of Manchester, where, with her sister, she purposes spending the summer months. It is not her intention to appear on the stage again until September, when she will present the dramatic version of Mrs. Margaret Deland's novel, "The Awakening of Helena Riche," for a run at the Hollis Street Theatre. In order to avoid going to New York during the hot months, she will invite her company to Manchester and have the members rehearse in a local hall.

Ormsby McHarg, the new assistant secretary of commerce and labor, is credited to North Dakota, but he has been in Washington many years. For some years he was an instructor in law at Washington university and recently he took a prominent part in the investigation of land frauds in the west.

George H. Moses, who has been appointed minister to Greece and Montenegro, has been a prominent figure for many years in New Hampshire political life. He was a delegate to the last national republican convention at Chicago and was an ardent supporter of Vice President Fairbanks for the presidential nomination.

A. O. Eberhart, lieutenant governor of Minnesota, is spoken of as a possible candidate for governor next year.

R. A. Taft, son of the president, was chosen head of the Intercollie Civic League at its recent meeting in New York. The league is an organization which plans to interest college students to show them what their civic duty is and to inspire them to perform it. Thirty of the leading colleges of the country are embraced in the membership of the league. Young Mr. Taft is a student at Yale and represented that institution at the league convention.

Easter day was a memorable occasion for Mrs. Dora Sullivan Shea of Bellflower street, Dorchester, who celebrated her 105th birthday anniversary Sunday. In the morning in a big automobile, Mrs. Shea was driven from her home to St. Margaret's church, Columbus road, where she attended mass. It was the first time she had ridden in an automobile. At the close of the service she held a reception to her fellow parishioners, hundreds grasping her hand. She received many gifts of flowers. During the afternoon scores of neighbors and old friends, and especially many children visited Mrs. Shea's house and offered congratulations. Mrs. Shea was born in Loughrea, County Galway, Ireland, April 11, 1804. She came to America seventy-five years ago, settling in Fall River, and went five years later to Boston. She now resides at the home of her grandson, William L. Drohan, officer in the South Boston court. Mrs. Shea has two grandsons, six great-grandchildren, four nephews and one niece. She is still in good health and retains her faculties.

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At the Lowell Inn. Fresh fish direct from the Boston wharves. Lobsters from the traps. Meats fresh and wholesome. Call and send to the Lowell Inn, busiest place in Central street.

**Wall Paper**

AT—

97 APPLETON ST.

**BURNED TO DEATH****Sad Fatality to Five Year Old Child**

Arthur Champagne, aged five years, was fatally burned this morning at the home of his parents, 29 Queen street. The child had been left alone in the house and securing matches set fire to the bedclothing of a bed which he was in before assistance arrived. He was so badly burned that he died later at the Lowell hospital.

Last night the child's father purchased some small pipes for the boy to play with and it is thought that when his mother left him alone in the house this morning while she went to call on a neighbor, he procured one of the pipes and trying to imitate people whom he had seen smoke, lighted a match and the flame from the match set fire to the bedclothing.

As no one was present at the time the accident occurred, nothing definite could be learned as to how it happened. The first intimation that anything was wrong in the house happened about 7:30 o'clock, when pitiful screams were heard emanating from the Champagne house.

Sidney Ladonne, who resides in the vicinity, heard the screams and rushed into the house about the same time that Mrs. Champagne, mother of the child, started in attracted by the cries. The sight which met their eyes was a terrible one. The bed in one of the rooms was ablaze as was the bedclothing, while the child lying face downward was frightfully burned about the back arms and chest.

Dr. Sumner was called and upon his arrival ordered the child taken to a hospital. In the meantime the members of the Branch street engine house had been notified and they succeeded in extinguishing the flames.

The ambulance was called and the unfortunate child was taken to the Lowell hospital, but died shortly after arrival there.

**SYRUP PARTY****AT PAIGE STREET CHURCH LAST EVENING**

A delightful maple syrup party and Easter sale was held by the Ladies' circle of the Paige Street Free Baptist church last evening with a large attendance. Griddle cakes and syrup were the piece de resistance at the supper. The tables did a lucrative business.

During the evening there were selections by the Highland orchestra, and Miss Muriel Hopkins played a piano solo. The Misses Edith Sanders and Winifred Googin played a piano duet.

The charge of preparing the maple syrup and griddle cakes was given to Mrs. G. E. Libby, who was assisted by Mrs. L. E. Lovrien, Mrs. L. H. Fenner, Mrs. Nellie Joy, Mrs. Charles Heaton, Mrs. Marshall and Mrs. Leighton. The young women who waited upon the tables were the Misses Ruth M. Richardson, Florence Knowlton, Viola Marshall, Belle Libby and Blanche Libby. Miss Mildred Daggett and Miss Anna McLeod.

Proposals for Coal and Wood for the Town of Chelmsford.

Sealed proposals addressed to the School Committee and endorsed "Proposals for Coal and Wood" will be received by said committee at selectmen's room, Chelmsford Centre, until Tuesday, April 20, 1909, at 7 o'clock p.m., for the supply of coal and wood as described below, and at that time will be publicly opened and read. All coal to be supplied by the following brands, or coal of equal quality: Philadelphia & Reading, Wilkesbarre, Susquehanna or Leigh Valley.

35 tons, more or less, of Egg coal delivered and put in to the W. Chelmsford school house.

55 tons, more or less, broken coal delivered and put in to N. Chelmsford school house.

15 tons, more or less, stove coal delivered and put in to Centr. school house.

15 tons, more or less, broken coal delivered and put in to E. Chelmsford school house.

10 tons, more or less, Egg coal, delivered and put in to Golden Cove school house.

Also price per cord for first quality sawed hard wood, sawed pine wood, and sawed slab wood, delivered at the respective schoolhouses in cord and half cord lots as wanted.

All coal must be weighed and wood measured by sworn surveyor of the town of Chelmsford. A bill of each load must be presented as delivered also original bill of lading if required.

The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

George E. White, John J. Monahan, Herbert C. Ellis.

School Committee of Town of Chelmsford.

Boston Painless Dental Rooms

All the Year Round

You use your teeth daily. Is it any wonder that they give out after a while? With good care however, these can be made to last a lifetime. We are at your pleasure to care for your teeth at all times. Our efforts are constantly directed to saving teeth if possible, and if not to make new ones for you. You will appreciate our work, our methods and painless methods.

Fish Set Teeth (rubber) \$5.00 Up

Gold Fillings ..... \$1.00 Up

Silver Fillings ..... \$5.00 Up

Gold Crowns ..... \$5.00 Up

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Waterproof, made with high

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pletely covering the under collar.

The coats are cut very

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Hanan's Shoes

These we offer in linens,

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khaki and fancy cheviot

"slipons" for \$1.50 and up to \$8

CRAVENETTED COATS,

**SYSTEM OF GOVERNMENT ESPIONAGE**

BRUSSELS, April 16.—A local newspaper declares that a system of German espionage has been unearthed in the city. A man named Montaigne was arrested on suspicion of having committed a murder in Paris. He was innocent of this crime but it was discovered that he was the head of the system and documents of vital importance concerning the naval defences of Brest, France, were found in his possession.

**GREAT  
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Yes, it is a little out of the market but it will pay you to take a car, or better to say we will pay you for coming to trade with us. We pay you from \$3.00 to \$5.00 on a suit or even as high as \$7.00 on some suits.

\$15.00 Suits for....\$12.00  
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Come and you will surely have money on a new hat, Skirts, Waists, Coats and Raincoats at remarkably low prices.

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Our motto is, and always has been: High grade goods at low prices.



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Must consider the cooking range the most important thing in fitting her home. Now think these things over before you buy. The Crawford range is the only range on the market that has the single, adjustable oven damper. Now if people get along with other ranges with their many complicated dampers that close or open entirely, you will certainly have a great deal easier time and cook a great deal better with only one damper to look after and that slides and is adjustable to any degree of heat. There are 11 other reasons why you should buy the Crawford Range. Come in and look it over.

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**The New Millinery For Saturday**

SECOND FLOOR

The last ten days have been a severe test for our work-room, but we are happy to say that we are ready for tomorrow, with a splendid assemblage of new Trimmed Dress and Street Hats, the productions of our work-room for the last two days, which we have studiously reserved for our patrons who do not care to buy before Easter.

Our Trimmed Dress and Street Hats at \$4.98, \$6.98 and \$10.00 are, if possible, handsomer than ever and possess the style and character seldom, if ever, found in hats anywhere near these prices.

Our Trimmed Street Hats with a style and dash which belong exclusively to this great millinery store, \$2.48, \$2.98, \$3.48, \$3.98.

**Untrimmed Hat Department**

STREET FLOOR

No person will dispute us when we say we sell more untrimmed hats than any store in the city. The reason is plain. We spend a lot of time in getting the correct shapes at the smallest possible prices.

The Untrimmed Hats of Tagle, Milan, Chip, Real Hair, Javal Imported Leghorns, Neapolitans, Jap. Braid Hats, etc., 98c, \$1.48, \$1.98 to \$7.50 each.

Nobby Trimmed Hats for the little ones from \$1.98 upwards.

Ready-to-wear Hats 98c, \$1.48, \$1.98.

Imported Flowers and Foliage at 10c, 25c, 49c, 98c and upwards.

We took a third of the surplus stock of one of New York's largest importers of flowers and fixed them at a price concession that enables us to offer them at 10c and 25c. The lot includes beautifully tinted roses, delicas, blinets, violets, etc., and will melt away rapidly under the influence of these unusual prices. 10c, 25c, 49c, 98c.

Children's Handsome Ready-to-wear Hats 75c upwards.

Large Mushroom Sailors with sweaters and bands, \$1.75, \$1.98 upwards.

All the latest ideas in mourning hats and veils at the lowest prices.



One of our values is an all-wool blue serge suit at

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in all depart-  
ments



## Men's Spring Suits

**T**HE tremendous business of the past week was a fine tribute to our splendid stock of the most stylish and down-to-date line of spring clothing. It surprised a lot of people, who opened an account with us last week, to see the beautiful patterns in men's suits that we carry, the large stock, and also the stylish cut and fine tailoring we put into our clothing.

The finely fitting coats with their padded, tailored shoulders, hand-tailored collars and buttonholes, and the revers reinforced by hair-lined canvas. The coats lined with Serge, Venetian or Mohair as you may select. The best merchant tailor cannot turn you out a more satisfactory suit. Come and see the line before purchasing elsewhere. You will certainly be astonished.

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and we can do things in the selling of clothing that surprises a lot of people. From \$10 up the prices run. A big variety and a great stock. Get in line and make your dollars count. Come and take a look. We guarantee every article to be satisfactory and if not right will cheerfully exchange and try to please you.

Come in and look around; if you wish to buy, simply open an account, and pay what you wish each week.



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### INDIANS STARVING TO DEATH

TORONTO, April 16.—A special from Edmonton, Alberta, says:

Reports from Fort Chipewyan state as a result of the failure of the crop the Indians are slowly starving to death. Many are mere skeletons, too weak even to get food, and are lying huddled together in the teepees. Fish also have been very scarce.

### ROBBERS DYNAMITED BANK

ENID, Okla., April 16.—Robbers dynamited the safe of the bank of Lincoln, 30 miles east of here, last night, and escaped with \$1,600 in currency, and notes to the amount of \$1,000. The interior of the building was wrecked. The robbers escaped in a car.

### CUDAHY PACKING CO. INDICTED

TOPEKA, Kas., April 16.—Indictments were returned here today by the federal grand jury against the Cudahy Packing Co. of Kansas City, Kas., on 137 counts on a charge of defrauding the government of \$80,000 by violations of the internal revenue laws.

### WHEAT MARKET EXCITED

CHICAGO, April 16.—Following yesterday's sensational market wheat on the board of trade was nervous at the opening today. Patten was said to be a buyer. July opened quarter to half a cent lower at \$1.16 to \$1.16 1/2; May unchanged to 3/8 lower at \$1.27 1/4 to \$1.27 5/8 and Sept. 1/4 to 1/2 cent higher at \$1.09 to \$1.11 3/4. The story that Mr. Patten has employed a bodyguard has no foundation. The colored man alleged to occupy this position has been at the same door receiving visitors' cards for a generation.

### AMERICAN MISSIONARIES KILLED

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 16.—Information received here today from Scaria, Asiatic Turkey, declares that two American missionaries have been killed in the anti-Armenian outbreaks at their place.

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# HAVERHILL GAS CO.

## Has Been Sold to Stone & Webster

HAVERHILL. April 16.—The sale was announced yesterday of the Haverhill gas company by P. J. Nevins, general manager of the company. The latter will remain in charge of the company for the new owners and no changes will be made in the management or policy of the company.

Negotiations for the purchase of the plant have been under way for some time past, and it is understood that Stone & Webster, of Boston, are the purchasers, although Mr. Nevins says he does not know what the new owners are. The sale was effected through Receiver Reynolds of the firm of E. H. Gray & Co., of Boston, the latter having floated the bonds of the Haverhill securities company, the holding concern, when the company was sold 10 years ago.

The gas company is one of the oldest in the state and until its sale 10 years ago was owned entirely by local people. It was sold at that time for \$375,000 and \$500,000 in hands were floated by the holding company.

The purchase price in the present sale is withheld. The new owners will assume the case brought by the company in its appeal from the decision of the state gas commission, ordering an 80-cent rate in this city, the present rate being \$1.

Mr. Nevins also announced yesterday that the new company, of which he is the organizer, intends to begin the construction of a plant that will supply the towns of Whitman, Abington, Rockland and Weymouth next month. An outlay of \$500,000 is contemplated in the construction of the plant, with 70 miles of gas mains, the company intending to later supply the towns of Braintree and Hingham. Work will be begun next month.

**COUPLE MARRIED**

### Love Unlocks the Jail Door

PROVIDENCE, April 16.—Miss Christina Palmieri, an Italian girl, 18 years old, was married yesterday to Camillo Destino, three years older than she, who, on March 8 last shot and wounded her during a fit of jealousy. In order to marry her sweetheart, who was held at Cranston jail because of his inability to furnish bail of \$1000 in a charge of assault with intent to kill her, Miss Palmieri secured a reduction of the bonds to \$1500 and then furnished the sum necessary for her lover's release.

Following a quarrel, in which the girl annulled a marriage engagement existing between them, Destino appeared at Miss Palmieri's house on March 8 and fired three shots at her, one lodging in the girl's back. Destino then turned his revolver on himself, but inflicted only a slight wound. Both were taken to the hospital. Ten days later Destino was discharged from the hospital, the lower court bound him over in \$4000 for the superior court on a charge of assault with intent to kill, and in default of bail he was sent to Cranston jail.

Miss Palmieri was recently released from the hospital. She and her attorney

yesterday appeared before Judge Christopher E. Lee of the superior court and succeeded in having Destino's bail reduced to \$1500. The young woman then went to the jail, furnished the necessary sureties and brought Destino back to Providence.

Destino readily accepted the girl's suggestion that they be married and the ceremony was performed by the same justice who reduced Destino's bail.

The charge against Destino probably will not be prosecuted. Miss Palmieri was the only witness to the affair, and since her marriage to the defendant, she cannot be compelled to testify against him.

See O. E. Con's adv. in this issue.

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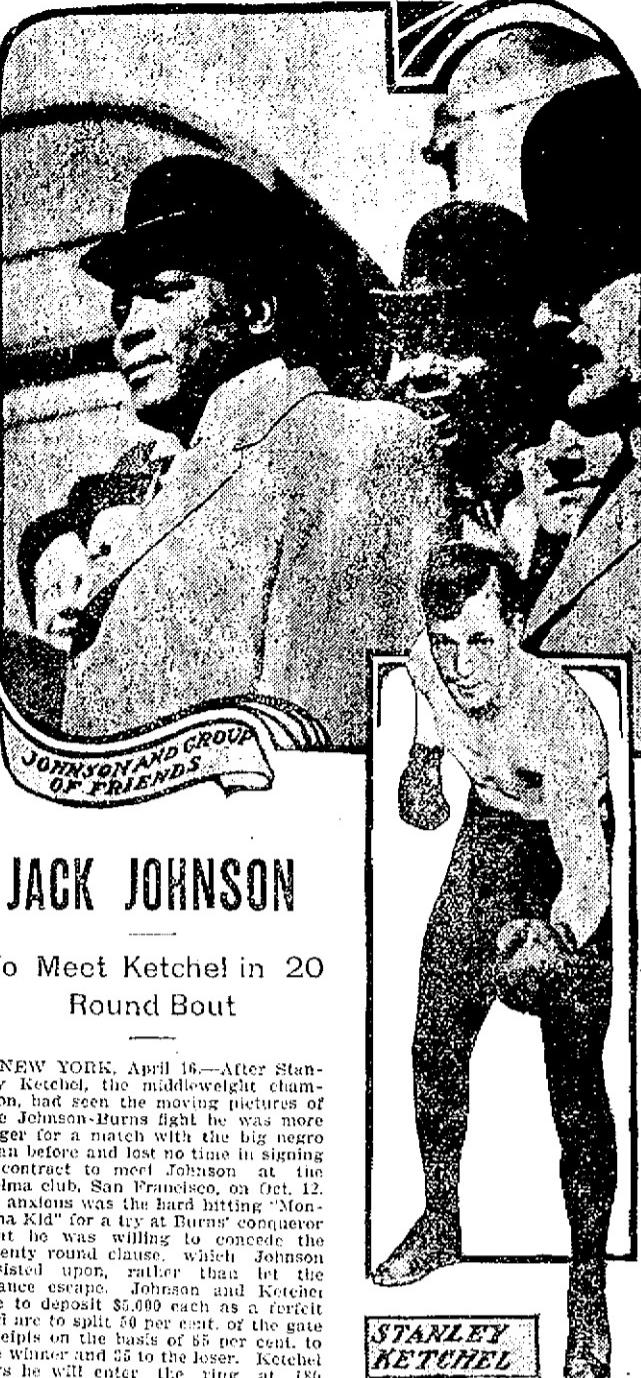
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### JACK JOHNSON

To Meet Ketchel in 20 Round Bout

NEW YORK, April 16.—After Stanley Ketchel, the middleweight champion, had seen the moving pictures of the Johnson-Burns fight he was more eager for a match with the big negro than before and lost no time in signing a contract to meet Johnson at the Colma club, San Francisco, on Oct. 12. So anxious was the hard hitting "Mountain Kid" for a try at Burns' conqueror that he was willing to concede the twenty round clause, which Johnson insisted upon, rather than let the chance escape. Johnson and Ketchel are to deposit \$5,000 each as a forfeit and are to split 50 per cent of the gate receipts on the basis of 55 per cent to the winner and 45 to the loser. Ketchel says he will enter the ring at 180 pounds.



## THE VARNUM SCHOOL

Won the Athletic Meet For Grammar School Boys

The grammar school boys' athletic meet under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian association held on the South common this morning attracted a large number of people, including school children and the parents of the pupils, as well as others interested in athletic events. The fact that the event has been postponed from yesterday, owing to the weather conditions, did not effect the enthusiasm in the least, for the weather of today was ideal.

The officers of the Grammar School Athletic association are: President, Charles E. Carter of the Highland school; treasurer, Walter Wilson Bartlett; and secretary, Arthur Sullivan, Moody.

The representatives of the schools are as follows:

Highland—Carter and Crossup, Bartlett-Wilson and Welch.

Buster—McNiff and Hogan.

Varnum—Ripley and Hartley.

Edson—Cottrell and Roane.

Moody—Sullivan and Chase.

The following is a summary of the events:

Shot put—Won by Carter, Highland, 30 feet 8 1/2 inches; Duval, Bartlett, 30 ft. 6 in.; second; Ripley, Varnum, 28 ft. third.

Running broad jump—Won by Gott, Varnum, 15 ft. 4 in.; Ig, Varnum, 15 ft. 3 in.; second; Carter, Highland, 15 ft. third.

High jump—Won by Ripley, Varnum, 4 ft. 11 in.; Sullivan, Bartlett, second; Chase and Sullivan, Moody, tied for third place.

Pole vault—Won by Chase, Moody, 7 ft. 7 in.; Swanam, Bartlett, second; Carter, Highland, third.

220 yards run—Won by Carter, Highland, Sullivan, Moody, second; Quinn, Varnum, third.

100 yards run—Won by Sullivan, Moody, Carter, Highland, second; Quinn, Varnum, third.

440 yards run—Won by Quinn, Varnum, Ripley, Varnum, second; Carter, Highland, third.

1000 yards run—Won by Harley.

### LABOR UNIONS

#### HAVE MADE PROPOSALS TO MANUFACTURERS

LYNN, April 16.—The Lynn shoe manufacturers have taken under consideration certain proposals made to them by the labor unions in connection with the proposed industrial peace arrangement in which the manufacturers are trying to bring about. The unions are meeting on Sunday last to consider the plan as presented to them by the manufacturers and agreed upon various modifications, which were submitted at a conference between union leaders and manufacturers yesterday. The date of the next conference has not yet been arranged. The unions favor the general scheme proposed by the manufacturers of a central ledge and subordinate ledges of manufacturers and operatives. The modifications they suggest are merely in detail. The lathers and cigarmakers unions are holding aloof from the negotiations for the present.

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### TRAVERS DEFEATED

PRESTWICH, England, April 16.—George D. Travers, the amateur golf champion of the United States, was defeated here today in an 18 hole match by A. R. Aiken, the champion of South India, seven up and five to play. Mr. Travers found the putting greens very troublesome.

See O. E. Con's adv. in this issue.

### CONNECTICUT RISING

SPRINGFIELD, April 16.—A rise of more than one foot in the Connecticut river since 6 p. m. yesterday aggravated the flood situation here, and at 4:15 a. m. today the river gauge showed 18.7 feet above low water mark. This is about 11 feet above normal stage. The flood today had reached the highest point recorded since the rising of 1902 when the water rose to 19.4 feet. The Agawam Meadow today was from 8 to 10 feet under water. The park at the foot of Elm street was covered with four feet of water.

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### LEGAL NOTICES

The undersigned officers of The Independent Polish National Catholic Association, a corporation organized under the laws of Massachusetts, located in Lowell, County of Middlesex, hereby give notice that said corporation by an affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of the members entitled to vote, has decided to call a meeting for the purpose and by resolution of the same, to be sworn to by the proper officers of said corporation, duly approved by the commissioners of corporations, and filed in the office of the secretary of the commonwealth, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 161 of the Acts of 1908, changed its name and adopted the name of Polish National Catholic Church of Saint Kazimierz, of Lowell, Massachusetts.

Felix Wroblewski, Pres.; Joseph Witalecz, Treas.; Alejo Kochan, Wojciech Wajda, Peter Dzurkiewicz, Stanislaw Wozniak, Majority of Directors.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex, Prob. Court.

To the heirs-at-law, wife, or him and all other persons interested in the estate of Joseph Cossette, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Probate by Cordelle Cossette, who prayeth that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a probate court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-seventh day of April, A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing the citation once in each week for three weeks next.

In Lowell Sun, newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McNamee, Esq., First Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

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## Minor League Outlook. Big Struggle Expected In Smaller Organizations

**T**HE minor leagues are on tiptoe for the baseball fray. In fact one or two organizations have already begun the pennant campaign. Most of them, however, as a rule, are later by weeks in starting their schedules than are the major leagues. The minor league teams are progressing in strength, in playing and in financial standing so rapidly as to raise the query whether or not some of them should be classed with the major leagues. For instance, take the Eastern, the American association, the Western and the Southern leagues. These organizations are supreme in their respective territories and conduct their affairs on up to date, responsible business methods.

The opening and closing dates of many minor leagues are as follows: The American association opened April 14 and closes Sept. 27; the Southern association, April 15 to Sept. 18; the New England league opens April 20 and closes Sept. 11; the Northwestern, April 17 to Oct. 3; the Illinois-Iowa-Indiana opens May 6 and closes Sept. 26; the Wisconsin-Illinois league opens May 5 and closes Sept. 12; the Western league opens April 29 and closes Sept. 12.

**The Eastern League.**  
The outlook for the season in the Eastern league is fully as promising as it was this time last year. Although many of the last year stars will be missing, there is plenty of good material on hand. But two changes have been made in the management of the clubs. Joe Kelley, former manager of the Boston Nationals, is piloting Toronto, and "Iron Man" Joe McGinnity is the leader of the Newark team in place of Stallings, who is now with the New York Americans.

Although the champion Baltimore lost several star players last fall, the Orioles have secured one or two major league players and have several promising recruits. Manager Dunn thinks that with Bill Lewis, the old Brooklyn player, at short the infield will be greatly strengthened. The schedule is not altogether satisfactory to President Hanlon. One of his objections is that the Orioles play too many long series at home. Manager Eugene McCann of the Jersey City team is confident that he has produced a winner. Says he: "That bunch of ball players we have gathered together are the real thing, I can tell you, and any team that gets away with us will have to travel faster than anything I've seen yet in the Eastern league. Keep your eyes on the Jerseys." The Skeeters have been practically reorganized.

McGinnity's Newark team will make a strong bid for the pennant this season. The "Iron Man" announces that he is ready to take his turn in the box. Buffalo is ready to put up a good fight

for the banner. Present indications point to a four cornered fight in Powers' organization.

### Western Association.

The unusual thing of seeing two brothers directing the baseball teams in the same league will be seen in Oklahoma this year when the Western association opens its season May 1. Ted Price, former manager of the Wheeling team in the Central league, will manage the Endicott Railroaders, while his brother, Howard Price, who has played ball all over the southwest, will be in charge of the Guthrie Senators.

The entire reorganization of the Western association as a result of the withdrawal of Topeka, Wichita and Oklahoma City and the dropping of Hutchinson has made it a hard matter to get a line on the various teams that will comprise the league this year. Joplin, Springfield and Webb City, the three Missouri towns, are the only ones which were in the league last year, aside from Enid, which went in only last year and had hardly got organized before the season closed. Guthrie, Muskogee and Bartlesville, in Oklahoma, and Pittsburg, Kan., will be the four new teams this year. Muskogee looks to be in the best shape to start off the season of any of the newcomers, as it has had its own team in the O. K. league last year and the Hutchinson club of the Western association to pick from in the selection of material.

### American Association.

Another close struggle is anticipated in the American association this season. The big leaguers made heavy inroads into the Indianapolis team last fall. Although Manager Carr has lost Marquard, Bush, the Indian, and Bill Myers, three stars, the clever manager thinks he can whip together a winning combination with the material at hand.

### Southern Association.

A repetition of last year's great struggle is anticipated in the Southern association. The fight in this organization rivaled those in the big leagues. The flag battle at the close was left to the two clubs practically tied for the lead to settle the argument between themselves, just as in the case of the New York-Chicago duel in the National race and the Detroit-Chicago battle in the American. On the last day of the race Nashville defeated New Orleans and for the third time in the history of the Southern league carried away the flag. Bill Bernhard, the former Clevelander and now manager, is confident his team will again carry off the honors. Although the major leaguers made inroads on his champions, he has several of the 1908 team



New Major League Managers Whose Work Will Be Closely Watched This Season.

Close tabs will be kept on the work of the new major league baseball managers this season. Four clubs in the National and one in the American have new leaders. Clark Griffith is expected to produce a winner in Cincinnati, Lumley in Brooklyn, Bowerman in Boston and Breshahan in St. Louis. Stallings will try hard to make a first division team out of the New York Americans.

left and a good nucleus to draw from. New Orleans and Memphis look almost as strong as they did this time last season. Of the others, Atlanta looks best.

### Ohio-Pennsylvania League.

The integrity of the Ohio and Pennsylvania league has been established, eight club owners having put up \$500 forfeit money each. The Sharon franchise has transferred to Steubenville,

or the franchise remaining in the name of E. E. Clepper, now owner of the Sharon club. This gives the league a circuit made up of Erie, McKeesport and New Castle in Pennsylvania and Steubenville, Akron, Canton, Youngstown and East Liverpool in Ohio. The game season is to open May 6, with Youngstown at Erie, East Liverpool at Steubenville, Youngstown at New Castle and Erie and McKeesport interchange morning and afternoon games on holidays.

**The Tri-state League.**  
The Tri-state schedule consists of 114 games this season, the opening contests being played April 28 and the closing ones Sept. 6. The clubs will be paired off as follows on the opening day: Trenton and York, Lancaster and Reading, Altoona and Johnstown, and Harrisburg and Williamsport. Last year the clubs played four games with each other in succession, two in one city and two in the other. This will be avoided this year. Trenton will play at York for two days, but returning home, will meet some other team. This was done to give the losing team a better chance of getting going than the arrangement did last year.

**The Texas League.**  
The Texas league opens April 17 and closes Sept. 6. San Antonio opens at Galveston, Waco at Houston, Oklahoma City at Dallas and Shreveport at Fort Worth. There will be double headers played at Houston, Dallas, Fort Worth and San Antonio on July 4 and Labor Day.

**New England League.**  
If a line-up on paper means anything, the Fall River club will certainly be one of the strongest on the circuit next season. Manager Jack O'Brien has been getting in a whole lot of work of late in preparation for the opening of the season, and he has succeeded in gathering together some new men who promises to strengthen the team greatly. Manager O'Brien has been working along the lines that the pitching staff needed strengthening; the infield, at third and short required new faces, an outfielder should be added and the backstop department also was in need of a catcher. TOMMY CLARK.

**Want Lawn Tennis All Year.**  
Why confine the activity of lawn tennis to a few brief months? Such is the question that is now being asked most frequently and with increasing fervor. By dozens of the game as they like to practice on the courts. The query is not new. For several years past it has been current and as a partial answer the various clubs have each year extended the season, although usually beginning with the services of the groundsman and attendants. Those who might follow their favorite game could do so upon playing surfaces that are carefully prepared as in summer, but more and more have been and women appeared for such matches as could be devised. Often they have performed the absent or infirm's work for the joy of at least a good lively set or two in the open air.

Hackenschmidt says it is a fine game to keep down dash. A two miles walk, with a bit of swinging and striking at the ball, is worth its weight in gold when a wrestler is training for a match, said the champion. "It's good exercise for everybody. If I resided permanently in England I should be on the golf links whenever I had spare time and I should make it a point to see that I found spare time for at least three rounds of a good game every week."

Hackenschmidt's short game was not so good as his work through the green, as he found a tendency to putt with too much strength and frequently overturn the cup when he was trying to hole the ball.

**Baseball a Hit in Manila.**  
Manila is a great baseball town. Between 1907 and 1908, 1909 and 1910, American citizens say the Chicago Examiner, there is a population of 600,000 natives to train from. The natives are interested in and play the game well.

Manila is the greatest baseball city of its size in the world. It has a better ball park than anything on the Pacific coast. The game is played there the year through and there are at least eight different leagues in this city of 450,000 people.

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## Sothern in Repertory— And Why He Will Never Equal Richard Mansfield

(From Our New York Dramatic Correspondent)  
SOTHERN in repertory recently received from the author a letter in which London intimated he was willing to consider the manager's proposition.

Two years in the south seas, says London, have not agreed with him, but the cold weather of Tasmania, Australia, where he now is, has somewhat recuperated his faculties. The performances and the wandering writer would give, Morrissey says, would be novel.

**Tim Murphy's Farewells.**  
During his present tour of the south word has preceded Tim Murphy of his alliance with William A. Brady and the manager's intention to confine the actor's seasons to New York and the large cities of the east and north. From this the idea took root in many places that this is Mr. Murphy's farewell to much of his familiar territory, and much good feeling has been expressed, not only by the audiences who have known his gentle art for so many years and the press, but groups of personal friends in many cities have complimented him with entertainments in his honor. He brings back to New York a box full of loving cups and other silver. Not least of the gifts he has received does he prize a portfolio of water color sketches of his best known characters made for him by an artist in New Orleans. The portraits include the Hon. Maverick Brander in "A Texas Steer," the Governor in "The Carpetbagger," Joel Gay in "A Capitol Comedy," Jim Johnstone in "A Corner in Coffee," David Holmes in "A Bachelor's Romance," David Stratton in "Cupid and the Dollar," Matlas in "The Bells," the cowboy in "Two Men and a Girl" and the star roles in "Old Innocence," "The Man From Missouri" and "When a Man Marries."

**Mr. Sothern's Accuracy.**  
However, we must give Mr. Sothern credit for the range of his repertory and the accuracy of his characterizations. He is a very good actor for accuracy. That is his greatest merit, and that is why he will never rank with Mansfield. Thorough mathematicians and conscientious bookkeepers are accurate. Mr. Mansfield was accurate, but he was something more. He had magnetism, imagination and the dramatic fire born of genius.

Nevertheless the intelligent student of stage classics will always profit by viewing any of Mr. Sothern's performances, and his annual engagement is consequently something to be patronized. It is probably in the role of Romeo that Mr. Sothern comes closest to revealing inspiration. He is natural in that. As Romeo he does not give you the impression that he would have you believe the role to be a severe flagellation of his spirit.

Richelle is Mr. Sothern's newest offering, and he brings to his conception of the part a sentiment that has extended over his entire dramatic career. "Richelle" was Sothern's favorite play when he appeared in the support of John McCullough, and it particularly appealed to her. Mr. McCullough thanked Miss De Barry for her interest, but stated that, inasmuch as he was then contemplating placing



H. B. Sothern, Starring In Classic Repertory.

of the Bulwer Lytton drama ever given in this country, he could not, of course, acquiesce in her request. Now comes the strange part of the story in that Harrison Grey Fiske, the author of "The Gay Life," has engaged Katherine De Barry to originate the rôle of Maria de Branscombe.

Miss De Barry says it seems positively unlikely that out of a whole world of actresses Mr. Fiske should accidentally meet and select her for the part, and the only way she can explain the strange coincidence is that she has been wishing for this so long that she just naturally wished herself on to Mr. Fiske.

**"The Love Cure" Composer.**  
When Henry W. Savage produces "The Love Cure" next season another Vienna musician will become talked about in America. This is Edmund Eysler, composer of "The Love Cure," or "Kunstspielblut" as it is known on the continent.

Like almost all composers, Eysler had trouble getting his first opera accepted. It was refused by the management of the Vienna Opera House, but Weiberger, the Vienna publisher, took it in the work and backed it.

Sothern's Richelle is intended to show his dramatic powers in their full development. From the studios and scholarly arts with which Sohern has endowed all his compositions it can be expected that he has taken advantage of the dramatic opportunities afforded by the ever changing and many-sided character of the mighty cardinal.

Miss Gladys Hansen plays Julia de Montmartre. Miss Virginia Hartman, Mrs. Marion in "Lorna," Frederic Lewis impersonates De Mingo, and Shirley Mather, Lulu.

Mr. Sothern's company includes Roland Buckstone, William Harris, Malcolm Bradbury, Sophie May, Billie Sand, John Taylor, Alfred Howes, Frederick Lewis, Charles Tilden, P. J. Kelly, James Edmund, William Bond, Misses Gladys Hartman, Virginia Hartman, Lorreta Healy, Katherine Wilson and Ethel Gray.

**Jack London as an Actor?**  
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THE WEATHER  
Fair tonight; Saturday probably  
fair, light variable winds.

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# THE LOWELL SUN

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LOWELL MASS. FRIDAY APRIL 16 1909

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## EXTRA

## WOMAN MAY DIE

### Was Horribly Burned at Her Home in New Bedford

NEW BEDFORD, April 16.—Mrs. Jenny Collins, wife of Eugene Collins, 225 Park street, was horribly burned at noon today while she was alone in her house and it is feared that her injuries may result fatally. Mrs. Collins, it is supposed, was heating her flatirons on a gas stove when in some manner as yet unexplained her clothing caught fire. She became panic-stricken and rushing out of doors called loudly for help. Her frenzied cries were heard by Henry Brown, Frank Swift and Miss Mamie Carr, who were in the nearby vicinity and who all ran to the unfortunate woman's assistance. When help came, Mrs. Collins' clothing was a solid mass of flames. Mr.

Swift was prompt to act and tearing off his overcoat hastily wrapped it around the woman and succeeded in smothering the flames. He and Mr. Brown carried Mrs. Collins into the house, emergency remedies were applied and Dr. David Pratt was summoned.

The physician found that Mrs. Collins was badly burned about the arms and legs and expressed the opinion that the woman may have inhaled some of the flames. She was removed as soon as possible to St. Luke's hospital but little hope is entertained for her recovery. Mrs. Collins is 60 years of age.

### FIRE IN HOTEL

#### 300 Guests Thrown Into a Panic

SAN FRANCISCO, April 16.—Three hundred guests of the St. George hotel in Howard street between Eighth and Ninth streets were thrown into a panic by a fire which completely destroyed a building, a three-story frame structure, early this morning. While it is not known that any lives were lost, it is reported by the clerk that at least twenty of the guests still cannot be accounted for. Sixty men were severely burned, or partially injured and many received minor injuries by leaping from the upper stories or by being trampled in the rush to escape. The seriously injured were hurried to the Central emergency hospital for treatment and the others, few of whom saved their clothing, were housed in nearby lodgings.

#### DEATHS

TYRRELL—Mrs. Margaret Tyrrell, an old resident of St. Peter's parish, died last night at her home, 483 Lawrence street, aged 51 years. She leaves four daughters and a son in this city, and her mother, brother and sister, in Ireland.

#### A DELICIOUS PERFUME

That is so delicate and refined that it never fails to please is one of the charms of Hood's Lotion. People that have used this preparation for sunburn, windburn, fogburn and tan tell us they would not be without it.

Hood's Lotion is especially useful at this time when there is so much street dust which irritates the skin by getting into the pores. Many users apply it before as well as after exposure. Get it today. 25c or 50c.

## Spring Cleaning Costs Little

You can pick up every bit of dirt and destroy it with an electric vacuum cleaner and your cleaning will cost you but a small amount. You rent the cleaner by the day and use it from 9 a.m. till 8:30 a.m. the following morning.

Lowell  
Electric Light  
Corp.  
50 Central St.

### A Tonic Free from Alcohol

Talk with your doctor about Ayer's non-alcoholic Sarsaparilla. Ask him if he prescribes it for pale, delicate children. Ask him if he recommends it when the blood is thin and impure, and when the nerves are weak and unsteady. Ask him if it aids nature in building up the general health.

## MAYOR BROWN

### Tells Treasurer Not to Accept Liquor License Fees

He Says He Has Asked the City Solicitor for an Opinion as to the Legality of the Grant—A Decision is Expected by Tomorrow

Mayor Brown has instructed the city treasurer not to accept any money for liquor licenses.

This is the latest move, and when the news was whispered about city hall today there was great speculation as to the why and wherefore.

"Is it true, Mayor Brown, that you have instructed the city treasurer not to accept any money for liquor licenses granted by the police board a day or two ago?"

To this question by a reporter of The Sun, His Honor said:

"Pending an opinion by the city solicitor as to the legality of the grant, I have instructed the city treasurer not to accept money for the licenses in question."

"Why did you consider this necessary?"

"Well, there have been a great many protests against present licensed liquor dealers, and I have not had time to investigate them. And then again I do not want the representatives of wholesalers and breweries to have liquor licenses."

"The city solicitor is preparing an opinion as to the legality of the grant and I expect it will be ready today or tomorrow."

### CELEBRATED DEFALCATION CASE

OSSINING, N.Y., April 16.—A celebrated defalcation case was recalled today by the release from Sing Sing prison of Cornelius J. Alvord, formerly note teller of the First National bank of New York city. Alvord was sentenced to thirteen years' imprisonment on January 16, 1901, for making false entries in the books of the First National bank to cover up defalcations said to have aggregated \$620,000 extending over a period of several years. Commutation for good behavior reduced the term by about five years. Alvord confessed the defalcation. When he left the prison today he told the officials he was going to Hudson, N.Y.

## SUPERIOR COURT

### Restored the Lawrence License Commissioners to Office

Mayor White Receives a Severe Setback in His Opposition to the License Board

The superior court today issued an order restoring to office the members of the Lawrence license board who were removed after a hearing before the mayor. Shortly after Mayor White went into office he preferred charges against the commissioners and gave a hearing which lasted several days. The mayor then removed the commissioners who petitioned the court for a review of the proceedings. The matter was heard before Judge Waite and this afternoon an order was issued restoring the commissioners to office.

### ALDERMAN TURNER

### Wants to Test Legality of the Municipal Register

Alderman Turner this noon filed a bill resolution to be submitted to the city council asking the city solicitor for the opinion of the city solicitor on certain questions. The resolution is as follows:

Resolved, That the board of aldermen request the city solicitor to advise the common council of the city of Lowell, in the city council assembled, as

be and the same is hereby requested on the following questions:

Has the mayor the right to require the payment of any sum of money to himself as mayor or otherwise, as a condition of granting permits or licenses for Sunday entertainments?

If he has such a right, in what capacity does he receive sums so paid? If he has received any such sums in his capacity as mayor, is it his duty to turn over the same to the city treasurer?

If any such sums are received in his capacity as mayor, and they are not turned over to the city treasurer, are they dispensed by him or his order, has the crime of larceny been committed?

If such sums are received by him personally, and not in his capacity as mayor, but as a condition of the granting by him as mayor of such a license or permit, has the crime of extortion been committed?

### LIST OF TOURISTS

#### Composing Bacheller Party From Lowell

The A. L. Bacheller party which left Lowell last Friday for a tour to include visits to New York, Washington, Philadelphia and Atlantic City, reports fine weather and delightful time. The members of the party besides Mr. and Mrs. Bacheller was as follows: Katherine E. Morris, Margaret Bagley, Jessie McKeon, Mrs. E. Doyle, Katherine Smith, Mrs. W. Dooley, Grace Delaney, Ethel A. Morse, Cloutida Deane, Kate Sparks, Mrs. Geo. W. Chase, Elizabeth A. Wilson, Lucy W. Litch, Anna M. Doyle, Mrs. Bella Curran, Mary J. Boyle, Paul Gilford, Sam Rooney, John T. Russell, William Shanday, Hammond Barnes, Francis Banister, W. R. Taylor, Lilia Gregg, H. A. Sweet, Grace Benson, Adelma D. McQuade, Mrs. T. E. McKay, Isabelle McQuade, Mrs. M. E. McKinley, Debra McManus, Grace Goodale, Margaret McManus, Eddie Russell, Lillian F. Hale, Ullian Johnson, Cora Schofield, Charlotte White, Mrs. G. W. Throop, Mary E. Wood, Mrs. M. A. Taylor, Mary J. Morris, George A. Paine, Chas. O'Donnell, F. E. Hardman, Margaret C. Cox, Mary T. Stanton, Maud Evans, Mary F. Hayes, Elsie M. Reilly, Esther Downing, Florence Dickinson, Staats Downing, Ned Dickinson, Lester V. Greene, Alice C. Clegg, Marion V. Greene, Emma Collins, Florence McLaughlin, Helen McKiddie, Agnes Burritt, Katherine Janzen, May F. Bradford, Louise McSorley.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Robbins, N.Y., Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Spaulding, N.Y., and Mrs. L. Bacheller, of Cambridge, and Mrs. O. Donnell, Florence Gilbridge, and others, all of Lowell, who are attending Trinity college at Atlantic City.

### LIQUOR LAWS

#### Discussed at the M. E. Conference

HARDWICK, Vt., April 16.—A discussion of the liquor laws of Vermont and other states was an interesting feature of today's session of the annual meeting of the Vermont Methodist Episcopal conference. This came in connection with the temperance anniversary with Rev. W. R. Davenport presiding. The principal address was given by Clarence Ferguson of Burlington, secretary of the Vermont Anti-Saloon League. The anniversary of the women's foreign missionary society also was held today with an address by Mrs. Mary Curtis, a returned missionary from Malay. The daily business session was the means of clearing up much routine business. This evening the Sunday school anniversary will be held, the feature being an address by Rev. Dr. David G. Downey of Chicago, secretary of the board of Sunday schools.

### MONITOR CHEYENNE

#### TESTED EFFICIENCY OF OIL AS A FUEL

SAN PEDRO, Cal., April 16.—The coast defense monitor Cheyenne has returned to this port from a long cruise made to test the efficiency of oil as a fuel. Although no official statement will be made until the report sent to Washington is given out, officers who have watched the tests stated that oil has proved a saving in fuel as well as that the work of the oil burning plant installed on the monitor at Mare Island has been perfect theoretically and practically. Steam pressure can be maintained much more evenly than with coal, a higher speed can be secured and smoke cinders and dirt are eliminated. In times of war the absence of smoke the officers point out is a valuable consideration. With oil the Cheyenne on power trip trial has been able to make a higher rate of speed than with coal and her steaming radius of 120 miles with oil has been increased to 250 miles with oil. The air supplied to the burners is superheated to about 400 degrees Fahrenheit before entering the burners and the oil is about 20 degrees. The oil is used in a gaseous instead of a liquid state.

Extra large Indian Head, 25c, at The Parson, Springfield.

**SPECIAL**  
We supply glass and furniture glass exclusively. Reduced prices for Saturday.

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Prescott Street, Near Page's Spa

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Plumbers, Steam and Gas Fitters

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## LATEST

### HANGED HIMSELF

#### Man Brooded Over Health of a Young Son

FALL RIVER, April 16.—The lifeless body of Patrick Shay, grocer at 756 Bedford street, was found hanging by a stretch of clotheline in the barn adjoining his store at noon today. Two hours before this he had left Clerk Edward Smith in the store saying that he would be back in a few minutes. Temporary despondency, the result of brooding over the health of a young

son, is assigned as the cause of the act. Deceased was 42 years of age and one of the most prominent grocers in the city and well known in political circles. A widow, four sons, four sisters and three brothers survive him. Among the brothers are Dr. John H. Shay, the veterinary surgeon, and Dennis H. Shay, the athletic promoter of New Bedford.

## PRESIDENT TAFT

### Received Officers of the Federation of Labor

WASHINGTON, April 16.—The president today received the members of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor headed by Samuel Gompers. The representatives of the organized workingmen presented to the president a brief outline of the legislation they would like to have enacted. Mr. Taft greeted the labor leaders pleasantly and promised to consider their views. In the delegation were a number of officials of the federation who figured prominently in the presidential campaign of last fall when they worked against Mr. Taft.

In addition to President Gompers, those who saw the president were Frank Morrison, secretary of the federation, James Duncan, John Mitchell,

James O'Connell, Max Morris, William Huber, John B. Lennon, John R. Alpine, and Joseph Valentine.

The labor leaders are said to be particularly interested in an endeavor to have the Sherman antitrust law amended with reference to the provisions that affect the right of labor to strike and boycott; to secure legislation which will prevent the abuse of the power of injunction by courts; to secure a strict enforcement of the eight hour law on all government work, including contracts and to have enacted a government liability law which will provide for the payment of damages to workmen injured on government work.

## BOY KIDNAPPED

### Son of a Well Known St. Louis Man Taken Away

ST LOUIS, April 16.—James S. Cabanne, seven years of age, the youngest son of a well known St. Louis man, that he is in the hands of abductors, it is a theory of the police that the kidnapping is due to domestic troubles.

#### HAVE NO ADVICES

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 16.—Other than through press despatches the police department of Memphis declares they have had no advices as yet with reference to the kidnapping of the Cabanne boy. While it is stated that the father of the child, James S. Cabanne, is a resident of Memphis, the name does not appear in the city directory. Mrs. Cabanne, it is asserted, also formerly lived here but is now making her home with a sister in Louisville.

### "BIG CHIEF" MYERS OF THE GIANTS

NEW YORK, April 16.—In his early days Ted kept it secret ever since he was taken into professional baseball. While Myers, the Indian catcher of the Giants were in Richmond, Va., recently, the players were told of the name under which Myers participated. When the Indians appeared on the scene the day after, Myers was identified by calling him "Chief" Tonto. The Indian smiled and said: "Well, I guess you fellows have got me with the goods. That is my real name." Myers is a graduate of Dartmouth University and was with the St. Paul club in the American association last season.

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# MEMBERS OF CREW

Were Taken Ashore in the  
Breeches Buoy

POINT JUDITH, R. I., April 16.—Captain Thomas Whalen and the three members of the crew of the two masted schooner G. A. Hayden were taken ashore early today in the breeches buoy from their vessel which struck on the rocks about two miles north of Point Judith last night. The schooner pounded heavily throughout the night and it was believed today that she could not be saved. The Hayden was bound light from Vineyard Haven for New Haven. Yesterday afternoon the schooner ran into Narragansett bay. When first sighted she was trying to get by the point in the thick fog which prevailed all day and most of the night. When Captain Whalen discovered that he was being driven towards Point Judith, he had two anchors thrown overboard and soon the schooner was riding safely about 100 yards on shore. The chains could not stand the strain, however, and one of them parted. Fearing that the other anchor chain

## CATARH THE CAUSE OF CONSUMPTION

If you have catarh don't fool your self into the belief that it is a harmless disease.

At least one-half of the consumption in the world can be traced to catarh.

Here are some symptoms of catarh: If you have any of them get rid of them while there is yet time.

Is your throat raw?

Do you sneeze often?

Is your breath foul?

Are your eyes watery?

Do you take cold easily?

Is your nose stopped up?

Do you have to spit often?

Do crusts form in your nose?

Are you worse in damp weather?

Do you blow your nose a great deal?

Are you losing your sense of smell?

Does your mouth taste bad morning?

Do you have a dull feeling in your head?

Do you have to clear your throat often?

Is there a tickling sensation in your throat?

Do you have a discharge from the nose?

Does mucous drop in back of throat?

Medicine taken into the stomach won't cure catarh; because to cure catarh you must kill the persistent and destructive catarh germs.

Hyonel (pronounced High-o-ne) the guaranteed catarh cure is a strong antiseptic yet pleasant air which when breathed over the membrane of the nose and throat into the lungs gets where the germs are and cures catarh by killing the germs. C. N. Lindsey of Mitchell, S. D., says it cured him. Read his letter.

"Having suffered from catarh for about two years, and having tried numerous remedies without any satisfactory results, I finally tried Hyonel, and I am glad to state that after using about one and one-half bottles, I am entirely cured."

Hyonel is sold by leading druggists everywhere and is sold in Lowell by Carter & Sherburne on the money back plan. A complete outfit, including inhaler, only costs \$1.50, and extra bottles 50 cents.

would not hold Captain Whalen tried to put about and get inside of the Point Judith breakwater. For a while the schooner made fair headway, but late last night a sudden shift of the wind drove the craft toward the shore. In a short time the craft was driven on the rocks about two miles north of Point Judith last night. The schooner pounded heavily throughout the night and it was believed today that she could not be saved. The Hayden was bound light from Vineyard Haven for New Haven. Yesterday afternoon the schooner ran into Narragansett bay. When first sighted she was trying to get by the point in the thick fog which prevailed all day and most of the night. When Captain Whalen discovered that he was being driven towards Point Judith, he had two anchors thrown overboard and soon the schooner was riding safely about 100 yards on shore. The chains could not stand the strain, however, and one of them parted. Fearing that the other anchor chain

## TWO KILLED

### IN A TRAIN WRECK NEAR HARISBURG

HARRISBURG, Pa., April 16.—Two persons were killed and several others slightly injured last evening when "The Queen of the Valley," a night express of the Reading railroad, was wrecked in the southern part of Harrisburg within a moment's ride of the Reading station.

## DELIGHTFUL PARTY AT HOME OF ALBERT CLOUGH LAST EVENING

A delightful house party was held last evening at the home of Mr. Albert Clough, 192 Perry street, with a large and merry gathering in attendance. A pleasant impromptu musical program was given, consisting of piano and violin solos by Miss Lyons and Miss Cunningham; piano solos, Misses K. Heslin and Coupe; songs, Misses L. Heslin, G. Heslin, L. Harrington, A. Harrington, Fuller, Battye, Pickles and Messrs. Bradley, J. Kelly, Kane, Reynolds, Murray, C. Kelly and Farrel. Refreshments were served and after games and a social time the party broke up at a seasonable hour with everybody happy.

## BARK ASHORE

### LIFE SAVING CREW WENT TO ITS RESCUE

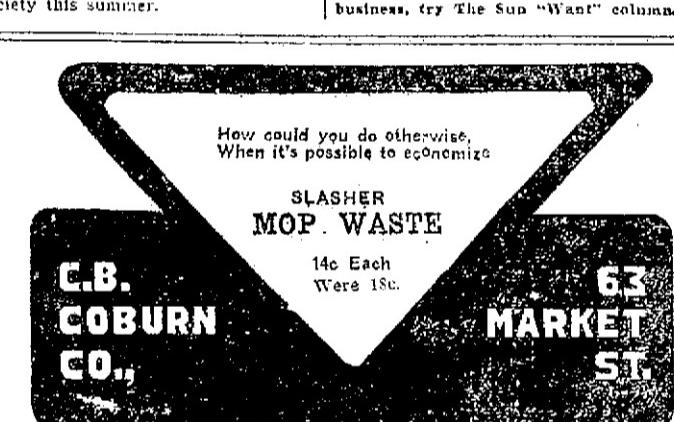
VINEYARD HAVEN, April 16.—When dawn broke today a bark was discovered ashore on Nonamand, six miles south of Gayhead, and within an hour the Gayhead life-saving crew were on their way to assist her. As there is no wire communication with the little island the identity of the vessel had not been ascertained up to 3 a.m. It was believed that the bark struck the island during the thick fog last night while trying to enter Vineyard sound.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## REQUIEM MASS

### FOR DEPARTED MEMBERS OF ST. PETER'S H. N. SOCIETY

On April 19 the members of St. Peter's Holy Name society will attend in a body a mass of requiem for departed members. At the regular meeting last evening, Wm. D. Daly presiding, a committee of five was appointed to consider the project of an outing for the society this summer.



# 5000 Pairs Shoes of All Kinds

To Be Sold At Once Regardless of Original Prices

**Men's, Boys', Youths', Ladies',  
Misses' and Children's**

## Every Pair Must Be Sold

If the prices they are marked at don't suit you, tell the manager and he will mark them down.

## No Fire, Smoke and Water Sale

BUT A GENUINE CLEARING OUT SALE

HERE IS YOUR CHANCE

119 Central St.

## REVENUE MEN IN POLICE COURT

### Visited Local Liquor Dealers Today

Local liquor dealers were on the jump all morning as the result of the visit to Lowell of two neat and quiet appearing men who walked into several of the places and modestly announcing the fact that they were United States revenue inspectors proceeded to ask all sorts of questions about the revenue, licenses, rectifying, what liquors the dealers had that were bottled in bond, etc.

The revenue inspector always gets the liquor dealer nervous for he comes unannounced and unexpectedly and always carries an air of mystery about him.

### Man Sent to Jail for Stealing 50 Cents

A man was arraigned before Judge Hadley in police court this morning on a complaint charging him with stealing one hundred pounds of coal from the Boston & Northern Street Railway Co. The company has been missing coal at the power house in Middlesex street of late and last night Foreman John Butler and another employee were detailed to watch the coal bunkers. About 9 o'clock they saw the man approach with two bags and after filling them with coal he started off. Butler grabbed him and turned him over to a police officer.

In court this morning defendant stated that he was out of work, his wife is sick and rather than apply to the city or any of his relatives for aid he went to the power house and stole the coal.

He put up such a pitiful plea for clemency under the existing conditions that Judge Hadley decided to look further into the matter before passing on the case. Owing to the circumstances his name is withheld.

The case was continued till Tuesday morning.

### Sent to Jail

Frank Clark pleaded guilty to the larceny of fifty cents, the property of Angelo Giardakis. The defendant had been in the employ of George W. Morrison of the Cross Awning Co. and collected fifty cents from the complainant, claiming that Mr. Morrison had sent him to collect the money. Clark was sentenced to three months in jail.

### Drunken Offenders

James and Catherine Compere, second offenders, were each fined \$6. There was one first offender, who was taxed \$2 and three simple drunks were released.

## THE SHAW PLANT

### Will be Opened as a Machinery Exchange

The American Woolen company is fitting up the Shaw Machine company plant for the purpose of maintaining a machinery exchange which it is believed will employ quite a number of skilled mechanics. The company has been installing machinery at the plant for a few weeks and is about to begin work.

At first it was thought that the machinery might be going in for storage, but a few days ago when Secretary McKenna of the board of trade inquired about the plant in the interest of an automobile concern, he was informed that the American Woolen company was about to establish a machinery exchange there.

### BILLERICA

A successful dancing party was held in the town hall last evening under the auspices of Billerica grange, No. 223, P. of H. There was a large attendance of grangers, including a number from Lowell and the surrounding towns. Dancing was enjoyed to the music of Atwood & Griffiths orchestra of Lowell. The affair was managed by the ways and means committee of the local grange.

The annual recital of the pupils of Miss A. Amy Hosmer, teacher of piano, was given Wednesday night in the town hall, the following program being carried out:

Postillion d'Amour ..... Esbjörn Alice W. Higgins, Miss Hosmer.

March Fatale ..... Rommel Esther E. Cole

Sketch ..... Dubois Flora Elliot

Spanish Dance ..... Morzkowski Marion E. Williams, Blanche L. Williams

Harvest Tide ..... Lange Robert E. Spencer

March ..... Behr Ethel M. Drake, Miss Hosmer.

Song Without Words ..... Reitta M. Shaw

Heather Rose ..... Lange Louise C. Kifkegaard

Wayside Brook ..... Smith Marion E. Williams

The Postilion ..... Volkmann Miss Hosmer, Bertha M. Parrish

Eagle Call ..... Goerdeler Margaret De G. Lamprell

Processional March ..... Dennee Robert Spencer, Miss Hosmer.

Necturne ..... Göttermann Miss Blazie

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# ANNUAL MEETING GREAT SENSATION

## Of Dental Societies Held in Lawrence

The annual meeting of the Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill Dental societies was held Wednesday afternoon at the rooms of the board of trade in Lawrence. A banquet was served at the Essex hotel at 6 o'clock after which a business meeting was held.

Demonstrations on operations pertaining to the practice of dentistry were given by Dr. Wm. H. Pepin and Dr. C. T. Harris. Others who gave demonstrations were Dr. Ray and Dr. Stansfield of Haverhill; Dr. Holmes of Andover, Dr. Dignan of Lawrence and Dr. Hough of Boston.

Many of the supply houses of Boston and other cities had exhibits of instruments and supplies which proved of interest to the members. Dr. Ned A. Stanley of New Bedford, president of the Massachusetts State Dental society, was present, and he gave a clinic as well as a talk on the disease known as syphilitic alveolaritis, and also a clinic on oral prophylaxis.

Among those who made after dinner addresses were Dr. V. F. Darling, president of the Lowell society, who talked on the subject of "Pitcheanism." Dr. Frank, president of the Lawrence society, spoke on the importance of keeping up the interest in the society, and Dr. Luce of Haverhill spoke on the duty of the young man entering the profession.

Dr. Hugh Walker, chairman of the committee on arrangements, spoke entertainingly on the organization of the Merrimack Valley Dental society, intermingling his remarks with sketches at the different members present.

At the close of the business session there were tournaments in pool, billiards and bowling. Lowell won honors at billiards, while the Haverhill dentists displayed a proficiency at pool, and Lawrence winning at bowling. It is expected that the recent union meeting will result in the formation of what will be known as the Merrimack Valley Dental society.

The committee on arrangements constituted the following:

Lowell—Dr. Hugh Walker, president; Dr. W. H. Pepin, treasurer; Dr. Edwin E. Kinney.

Haverhill—Dr. G. Everett Mitchell.

Dr. John B. Leopold, secretary; Dr. Howard Standfield.

Lawrence—Dr. Charles W. Partridge, Dr. Arthur T. Mackay, Dr. Robert Farquhar.

## KEENE'S HORSE SECOND

NEWMARKET, April 16.—The three year old handicap of \$30 sovereigns distance seven furlongs, was run here today and won by "Humorist." J. R. Keene's "Eperanto" was second and Pinchard was third. Nineteen horses started.

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## Caused By Arrests in Japanese Diet

TOKIO, April 16.—A tremendous sensation developed here today with the arrest of nine members of the lower house of the diet, the nature of the charges being withheld. It is believed that bribery in connection with the recent difficulties with the Japan Sugar Co. is alleged and there is great unrest in the capital, as it is stated that some members of the upper house are liable to arrest also.

A few weeks ago charges of fraud were brought against certain of the directors of the sugar company, which is a big concern, capitalized at \$12,000,000. The directors resigned and an investigation of the affairs of the company followed.

A series of questionable transactions was disclosed and the stock dropped from 50 to 60 points as a result of the exposure, a large number of people, including many foreigners, meeting financial ruin in the slump. The affair started an outcry from the press and the public which led to the prosecution of a number of directors involved. These men were all high in commercial and political circles.

When the nine members of the lower house were taken into custody today the charges against them were not made public owing to the connection of the defendant directors with politics. It is generally believed that the investigation of the sugar company resulted in the exposure of bribery in the diet. The members arrested all belong to the Seiyu-Kai, the dominant party in both houses of the diet.

The arrests and the belief that further arrests are to follow have raised consternation in Tokio political and commercial circles.

## FLORENCE CLUB OF DRACUT DANCED IN PRES. COTT HALL

The Florence Social club of Dracut held a well attended dancing party in Prescott hall last night. There were about one hundred couples present and the affair proved to be a success.

Dancing was enjoyed to music furnished by the Calumet orchestra.

The following efficient officers had charge of the party: General manager, Fred Cronin; assistant general manager, Arthur Ecklund; floor director, Thomas Eriek; assistant floor director, Harry Gallagher; chief aid, Willie O'Malley; aids, Michael Sullivan, Louis Seymour, John Collins, May Sullivan, Harry Garner, Margaret McArdele, Merlert Lough, Mary Sonson, Annie Studler, Kitty Brick, May Duffy, Nora Clark, Emma Partridge, John Gillick, James McKone, Erving Whitecomb, Walter Dilley, Irene Sullivan, Peter Lynch, Mary Collins, Eddie O'Malley, Josie Ross, Margaret Daley, Loretta Campbell, Nellie Gardner, David Sonson, Lee Campbell, Daniel Ready, Charles McCarty, Alice Kaler, John Lough, Kitty Sears, Roy Humphrey, Margaret Collins, Bessie Cronin, Helen Sullivan, John Lough, Rose Campbell, Eddie Ecklund, Paul Merrill, secretary; Thomas Senior, treasurer.

**ST. JOHN'S FAIR CLOSE OF SUCCESSFUL EASTER SALE**

The Easter sale and fair of St. John's church came to a successful close in Old Fellow's Hall in Middlesex street last night. The attendance was large and an excellent entertainment was enjoyed.

In the afternoon there were fancy dances given under the direction of Miss L. Blanche Perrin. Miss Dorothy Madeline Driscoll contributed a Spanish dance, and Anna McCashin gave La Sorella. The sailor's hornpipe was given by Isabel Walker, assisted by Misses Mae Godfrey, Dorothy Driscoll, Stella Maloney, Madeline Driscoll, Helen Chadwick and Alice Gilligan. Miss Ima Bachelder was the pianist.

"Our Aunt Robertina" was given in the evening, with the following cast: "Mr. Aspin," William Van Steinburgh; "Gladys Aspin," Elizabeth Connell; "Aunt Robertina," Blanche Guerne; "Robert Aspin," Roswell C. Jefferson; "Emily," a maid, Mabel Wilson; "Plumb," man servant, Fred Gilmore; a tramp, P. Edwards. During the action of the piece Mr. and Mrs. J. McParland interpolated a duet and dance.

The second sketch of the evening was called "Mrs. Mulcahey." The cast was as follows: "Alfred Johnson," Roswell C. Jefferson; "Ada," his wife, Mabelle E. Sykes; "Mr. Barker," a landlord, Frederick Clements; "Mrs. Mulcahey," a washwoman, I. E. Romain; "Mr. Winfield," George H. Walker; "Mrs. Winfield," Pauline C. Jefferson; "Mr. Folds," Fred Campbell; "Dolly Folds," Gladys Parsons; "Polly Folds," Lillian Green; "Professor Blake," Geo. McElroy; "Polonia," Charles A. Howarth; "Mrs. Wentworth," Marion E. Spencer, and "Hilda," a servant girl, Louise Lefevere.

During the evening Mr. F. O. Blunt was presented a bouquet containing four dozen American beauty roses.

## SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A special session of Division 28, A. O. H., was held last night, and considerable business was transacted. The division was highly pleased with the action of the central council in having the next state convention in this city. The 25th anniversary of the division is to be held on the second Thursday in May, when a large dance will be held, for which a committee was appointed last night.

Elrene Lodge, No. 14, I. O. G. T., held its regular meeting last night in Elrene hall. Reports were read from those who attended the grand lodge in Springfield last week, and officers were elected as follows: C. T. C. A. Lester; V. T. Mrs. Annie Corbett; secretary, Irene Martin; financial secretary, Anna Grinnell.

Court Wamessit, No. 51, Foresters of America, held a well attended meeting last night in Weavers' hall, with every officer present. The auditor's report was read, and shows that the order is in good financial condition. Final arrangements were made for a dance to be held in the near future.

Campau council of Court St. Antelopes, C. O. F., held a meeting last night and elected and installed Frank Ricard as chief ranger of the council, and J. J. Cornelius was elected and installed supreme secretary and treasurer. Eight new members were admitted and ten applications for membership were received.

Miss B. Gray of Kingsman street and Miss Alice Donahue of High street are spending the Easter vacation with Mrs. Callahan of Marblehead.

# Talbot's Showing

## of "Good Clothes"

Brought a big Easter trade to the "American House Store." In fact, last Saturday was the "BIGGEST DAY" with only ONE exception in our twenty-eight [28] years of business in Lowell. "AND THE BOYS' DEPARTMENT BEAT ALL PREVIOUS RECORDS." It was a splendid endorsement of our great Stock of "GOOD CLOTHES," without doubt the Best ever shown in Lowell. This week we have been busy filling in and today our stock is again complete from A to Z. Everything that is new and correct you will find here, "MADE RIGHT"—PRICED RIGHT."

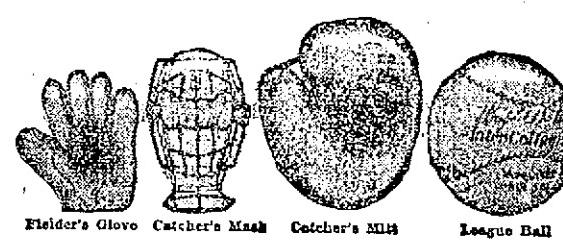


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### TEXTILE SCHOOL

#### SENIORS AND FRESHMEN HELD FIRST TRYOUT

The seniors and freshmen met on the diamond yesterday afternoon, thus beginning the first game of the season of the inter-class series. The freshman

won by a score of 8 to 5. The teams were made up as follows:

Seniors—Gray, 1b; McCarthy, 2b;

Mullen, ss; Holden, 3b; Bunce (capt.)

; Stone, cf; Valpey, lf; Gyander and

Brinard, rf; Newell, rt. Freshmen—

Glynn, ss; Phillips, sb; Jefferson, p;

Pharmer, cf; Ford, lf; Burnham, cf;

Huntington, rt. H. L. Gale was unpaired.

Bases have been erected along the third base line for the accommodation of spectators.

The first game of the season for the regular base ball team representing the school will take place tomorrow afternoon on the school campus when Texaco will cross bats with the strong St. Anselm's team of Manchester, N. H.

Judge Events

The following is a list of track and field events which are scheduled to take place at the "Uptram."

Field events: Pole vault, shot put, running broad jump, running high jump.

Track events: 100 yard dash, 440 yard run, 220 yard run, one mile run, and 440 yard relay race, each man running one lap.

There will also be a few "comedy" events which will consist of the potato race, 50 yard dash and three-legged race. Prizes will be awarded for the first, second and third places in each of the regular events.

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Eva Ingalls, widow and administratrix of the estate of Col. Robert G. Ingalls, against Henry A. Root and Joseph A. Coram, representing certain heirs of Andrew J. Davis, the mining king, brought to recover a fee of \$100,000 claimed for services of Ingalls in attacking the will of Davis.

A verdict in her favor was set aside by the circuit court of appeals, but the supreme court sustained her and judgment for the amount of the verdict, with interest, amounting to \$138,310.

The court held she had a lien on the property belonging to the estate in this Commonwealth.

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## Were Witnesses at Police Board Hearing Today

The feature of the mayor's police board hearing this forenoon was the rigid cross-examination by Mr. Bent of a man from Holbrook, a man by the name of Mason, who came here to gather evidence against holders of common victuallers' licenses.

The man from Holbrook said he didn't know what he came to Lowell for or who engaged him. Upon arriving here he went to the city hall and had an interview with the mayor's private secretary. He was also present at an interview in the city solicitor's office, at which the mayor was present. He turned his reports over to a man in Market street whom he met at the mayor's office with the mayor's private secretary.

When the hearing was resumed today Officer Grady was recalled. He was testifying when the hearing was adjourned last evening.

Asked if when he visited the Richardson house he had seen tables in the barroom on the Thorndike street side, he said the tables were in a dining room.

Asked if he had not reported that he had seen tables in the barroom, Mr. Grady said he did not think so.

Counsel for prosecution read from one of Mr. Grady's reports in which mention was made of tables in front of the bar.

"What did you mean by that?" asked counsel for prosecution.

"What the report says," said witness.

"Did I understand you yesterday to testify that you never knew of anybody being refused food or lodging at any of the hotels?"

"I don't recall having so testified."

Counsel for prosecution then turned to a report of Nov. 29, 1908, and having to do with the St. James hotel. It was noted in the report that certain ones were refused admittance.

"What does that mean?" asked counsel.

"Just what it says," replied the officer.

"What was the character of the sandwiches served in the different hotels?"

"They were good."

"Big or small?"

"Fair size."

"What was size of sandwich served at Richardson hotel?"

"Extra size."

"How large were sandwiches in the American house?"

"Fair size."

"How large at the Belvidere?"

"Not so large."

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Mr. Bent wanted to get at the fact that the dining or serving room on the Thorndike street side was separated from the barroom.

The officer described a projection, a partition, with an arched entrance from the barroom to the serving room.

Mr. Bent: "Was there a pool table in that room?"

"Yes."

"Was it moved out on Sundays, holidays and election days?"

"Yes."

"Where is the gent's toilet situated?"

"In the basement."

"Was there any way of reaching it from the serving or dining room in question, except through the barroom?"

"No sir."

Officer Grady then explained a new alteration that was made later—when the temporary partition was taken down and replaced by a substantial wall with swinging doors.

Mr. Grady was next asked to explain the location of rooms on the Middlesex street side of the hotel. He described a few slight changes that had been made there since he was first a liquor inspector.

Mr. Bent: "The expression has occurred in your reports in which you said you found the hotels closed between 10 a.m. and 12 m. What did you mean by that?"

"That no liquor was served in the dining-room," said the officer.

"Do you know of a single case where anybody was refused food or lodging between 10 a.m. and 12 m?"

"No sir."

"Have you had occasion to visit other places where food was served, other than the hotels?"

"Yes," replied the officer, and he enumerated several places in this city and Boston.

"What were your observations there?"

Counsel for prosecution objected. He said what happened in Boston was a matter for Commissioner O'Meara.

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**REV. DR. AKED**

Tells of the City's Problem

USES PARABLE OF THE BRAMBLE KING

He Says Politics is a Dirty Trade—Bramble King's Flames May Destroy Democratic Hopes—Best Brains of the Community Needed—What the Church Must Do.

"Politics and the Kingdom" was the subject of the second in the Y. M. C. A. course of Bible lectures, and was delivered at the First Baptist church last night by Dr. Charles F. Aked, pastor of the Fifth Avenue Baptist church, New York city.

He opened with the parable of the trees of the forest which chose a "bramble king," from whom the fires burst forth and consume the cedars of Lebanon.

"All the world," said the speaker, "is full of the justification of the parable. If the best men and women will not do the world's work, then other men and women, who are not the best, will have to do it; and who better us all for our mistakes and failacies and crimes. If the best blood and brains are not given to the church, the city and the state, if the best blood and the best brains of the community refuse to work for the community, then burlesque workers, it may be more ignorant workers, it may be selfish and evil workers, take up the burden of responsibility which better men and better women have refused to assume. And first come forth from the bramble king, and consume the cedars of Lebanon. In a democracy, if the best blood and brains are not brought to the assistance of the city, the state and the nation, the flames come forth from the bramble king and consume the body politic."

City Politics

"In ancient Greece, a man who did not concern himself in city politics was called an idiot. In modern America, the citizen who does so concern himself is regarded as a thief. In the view of the Greeks, only the common and the ignorant and the undeveloped, the poor, the 'dirt' kept himself outside of city politics. In our view, in the dawn of the 20th century, the decent man or woman does not want to touch city politics with a 40-foot pole. Politics is a trade, and a very dirty trade at that. The saloon keeper, the keeper of the gambling hell, the ward politician and the party boss have entered into an alliance corrupt and corrupted. See to it, since you have chosen and crowned your bramble king—see to it lest flames issue forth from the bramble king and democratic hopes be swept away in the whirlwind of his flames."

"In the land from which I came, in the old, old days when kings ruled by right divine, there were the barons, the great, proprietary lords, just to act as a check upon the king occasionally, to keep him in order. In the process of time the power passed into the hands of the great barons; but by this time there was rising a middle class, which acted as a check upon the great proprietary lords and in a way helped to keep them in order. Time went on, and power passed into the hands of the middle class; but there was rising a great industrial mass of the people which acted as a check upon the middle classes and in a way helped to keep them in order."

"But in this country, and in this day, there is no king ruling by right divine, no proprietary lord, no middle classes. The power is in the hands of all the people. And who is there to keep them in order? If they go wrong? Who is there to be a check upon them, if they are going the downward path? This is a problem for today and for coming days."

"This problem is complicated by the influx of millions of people from the older countries of the old world. Some of them rapidly become Americans in heart and spirit and show themselves valuable as an asset. But many of them become American citizens long before they become Americans, and they constitute not an asset at all, but a menace. The problem of democracy in this country is considerably complicated by this condition."

"What force is there, inherent in the law and constitution, which will not be blown to the four winds of heaven by the breath of some demagogue? What force is there in the country to insure these millions with their stunted minds and their slowly opening eyes, with new and nobler ideals, and with the hopes and purposes and the principles which have made this country great?"

"It is not enough to rely on education. One man may scientifically cure a fever, and another may scientifically dynamite a town. It does not do to depend upon education alone."

"But what can we do to prevent the nation rising in choosing its bramble king? This is quite certain—that the church cannot become political. It is politics, which have to be made religious. The preachers of the gospel cannot identify himself with a party and speak from the point as party man. There have been times when that became necessary; there might come a time again. Thank God there is no such obligation upon me, at the present time. Coming as I came, from another land, I look upon your political parties with a degree of amazement for which I have no adequate words. I do not know which of the parties is the worse, or worst."

"It comes ready to this: What the churches hope to do, to shape rightly, public opinion. There they ought to be supreme. They cannot coerce. Their authority is inward and spiritual. This authority the church ought to exert—remodeling and reshaping public opinion."

"In time of war, no country has ever shown a more ardent, stirring patriotism than this. Why can you not realize the same need and the same obligation of patriotism in these piping times of peace? It will not be enough for the Christian church to teach that a life of political service is consistent with the profession of Christianity. That is little. You must not say it is consistent with our Christianity for a man to try to discharge the obligations of citizenship. You must say it is absolutely and forever inconsistent with Christianity, for a man not to discharge the obligations of citizenship, and that the man is not doing his duty as a Christian, who is not trying to get his city, his country, and his state and nation along these paths of social service. Neither can you afford to allow the mighty force of woman-

hood, wifehood and motherhood, to be lost to the city, the state and the nation."

"Never, in the history of this country, have we extended the franchise to a class on the ground of their education; and never has there been in the history of civilization an extension of the suffrage to any class previously unfranchised, who were so well fitted for the extension of the franchise to them, as the American women of today."

LOWELL MEN

WANT REPRESENTATION ON C. T. A. U. BOARD OF OFFICERS

At the C. T. A. U. convention in Boston next Monday Lowell and North Chelmsford delegates as well as those from Woburn and Wakefield, will, it is

said, support a candidate from this section for the vacancy on the board of government caused by the retirement of Secretary Ward. It is generally conceded that Lawyer Catalano of Norwood will be elected financial secretary, as he has given ample satisfaction as corresponding secretary, and the contest will come for the place now held by Mr. Callahan. Lawyer Patrick D. Walsh of Roxbury is an avowed candidate for that place. The Lowell end of the district will, it is understood, have several candidates for other offices in the field, one of whom, Neil J. Doherty of Woburn, is a most formidable candidate for vice president against Lawrence E. Murphy of Boston.

The delegates to Lowell, Woburn and Wakefield feel that the offices should be distributed as much as possible in other sections, rather than in and around Boston and will make a strong bid to have such an arrangement carried out. District Deputies Neil J. Doherty of Woburn, John J. Coyne and John V. Donaghue of Lowell, have submitted their reports to Pres. John T. Shea, of the Union. Deputy Coyne is being discussed as a candidate for the board of government and if he decides to run his Lowell friends feel confident he can defeat Lawyer Walsh for the place. Vice Pres. James F. Riley of the Mathews has also been suggested as a possible candidate along

with John H. Harrington of North Chelmsford.

BOY CONFERRED  
THAT HE KILLED MRS. TONY  
PIEROG

LOCKPORT, N. Y., April 16.—Romuald Sankowski, 15 years old, confessed before the grand jury here yesterday afternoon that he had killed Mrs. Tony Pierog at her home in Buffalo avenue at Niagara Falls on March 21. Sankowski was taken before the grand jury yesterday. He was telling how he had seen George Patyk strike the woman with an axe when District Attorney Aberson jumped from his chair and pointing an accusing finger at the lad said: "You are telling lies."

The boy then hung his head and confessed.

KING OF ITALY

TO OBSERVE FLIGHTS OF WILBUR  
WRIGHT

ROME, April 16.—Wilbur Wright, whose tests with his aeroplane will be observed by King Victor Emmanuel in the near future, made his first appearance on the field at Centocelle yesterday to begin the erection of a new theatre

day afternoon. Thousands had gathered and his flight was excellent and brought forth plaudits from the assembled multitude. The aeroplane rose almost in a straight line to a height of 180 feet. It skinned to and fro and came back to the earth gracefully and easily.

The spectators showed great enthusiasm.

NEW THEATERS

TO BE ERECTED IN BOSTON AND  
CAMBRIDGE

BOSTON, April 16.—Four new theatres in Boston and one in Cambridge are to be erected this year. The Schlesinger Brothers of New York have acquired the property on Tremont street on which the late C. H. Bond had begun the erection of the Lyric. The William Morris Co., Inc., will add a new vaudeville house, the location of which has not yet been given out. The Boston Grand Opera house is rapidly nearing completion on Huntington avenue and last night Charles P. Waldron, former ten years manager of the Park Theatre, announced his retirement



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Our working force of makers and trimmers has been doubled the present season and the past two days during the severe rain storm the entire force was employed in getting out new things for stock.

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## DEATHS

KENNEDY—Mrs. Bridget Kennedy died at her home, 8 Bridge of 225 Suffolk street, yesterday. Deceased was the wife of the late Patrick Kennedy, she leaves two sons.

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If you want your children to grow up with strong, sturdy and vigorous hair teach them to use Parisian Sage, the world-famous hair nourisher.

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For 50 cents you get a much larger bottle than the makers of ordinary tonics give, and if you are not satisfied you can have your money back. The girl with the Auburn hair is on every package of Parisian Sage.

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## COURT ADJOURS THE "BLACK HAND"

Judge Stevens to Preside at Murder Trial

KELLY INSURANCE CASE WENT TO JURY TODAY

Supreme Judicial Court Comes In Next Tuesday at the Court House on Gorham Street.

The case of Kelly vs. The Mutual Life Insurance company of New York went to the jury today and the superior court then adjourned for two weeks to allow Judge Stevens to sit on the Jordan murder trial, which will open in Cambridge on Tuesday. Deputy Sheriffs Stiles, Evelyn and Clark of this end of the district are to do court duty on this case while Clarke Ralph Smith, who is assigned to this civil term, will remain in Lowell and officiate at the session of the supreme judicial court which comes in at Lowell on Tuesday. While the adjournment is made for two weeks there is a strong possibility that it will be nearer four before Judge Stevens will be able to return to this city as it is understood that many witnesses are to be called in the murder trial.

The jurors not sitting on the Kelly case were excused yesterday for two weeks while the others were excused after they had returned their verdict in the Kelly case.

The evidence in the Kelly case was finished last evening and the early part of the morning session was devoted to a conference between counsel on both sides and Judge Stevens relative to points of law and points upon which the arguments were to be made.

MILLINOCKET, Me., April 16.—That Millinocket has a branch of the "black hand" was brought out yesterday in the trial of Luigi Cesarone and Raffaele Abate, charged with highway robbery upon Angelo Cesere, another Italian.

The respondents were bound over and sent to Bangor jail to await the August term of court. At a hearing before Justice Stevens, Cesere said that he had been a member of the "black hand" in his home in the Italian colony known as "Little Italy," late on the night of March 21, he was stopped by two men whom he claimed to have identified as the respondents.

He says they made him give up \$125 to a woman who was a member of the "black hand" and that some of the Italians were afraid of them. They said that there were many members of the "black hand" in Millinocket.

NORTHFIELD SUMMER SCHOOL

NORTHFIELD, April 16.—The program for the summer schools conference, held here annually, and commencement and 30th anniversary of the Northfield seminary is nearly complete.

At the general conference of Christian workers in session the first two weeks of August many speakers of prominence from all parts of this country, Canada and England are expected. Included among them are:

Rev. G. A. Johnston, Ross, Cambridge, England; Rev. J. S. Stuart Holden, London; Rev. J. H. Jewell, Birmingham, England; Rev. John Abbott, Glasgow; Rev. Arthur T. Pierson, Brooklyn; Rev. John Douglas Adams, East Orange, and Rev. Gleas Atkins, Detroit. The dates already announced are:

June 12-15, inclusive, Northfield seminary commencement and 30th anniversary, July 2-11, inclusive, student conference; July 13-20, inclusive, young

women's conference; July 14-20, inclusive, women's home missionary conference; July 22-29, inclusive, summer school for women's foreign missionary society; July 22-29, inclusive, summer school for Sunday school workers; Aug. 17 until about Oct. 1, post-conference addresses.

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Men's Suits, worth \$18.	\$8.96	Men's Hose, worth 10c	5c
Men's Suits, worth \$21.	\$10.98	Men's Shirts, worth 50c	25c
Men's Suits, worth \$15.	\$12.98	Men's Shirts, worth 75c	39c
YOUTH'S Suits, worth \$8.50.	\$4.98	Men's Shirts, worth 98c	39c
YOUTH'S Suits, worth \$12.	\$7.98	Men's Shirts, worth \$1.25	78c
YOUTH'S Suits, worth \$16.	\$10.98	Men's Underwear, worth 45c	19c

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Ladies' Suits to close at....\$5.98	Petticoats sold everywhere for \$1.50, our bargain price....98c
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Panama Skirts, nicely trimmed \$1.48	Ladies' Skirts, nicely trimmed, \$2.98
Ladies' Suits, worth \$18, \$10.98	Ladies' Suits, worth \$22, \$12.98
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EVA BOOTH.

**T**HIS Easter season brings to services begin he takes his place as one of them. He has his mind upon his Master, this young man; he remembers the friend of publicans and sinners.

In the same English city of factories and slums there is great excitement and a practical half holiday. The city is decorated. Many thousand people go out upon the country highway and lie it, waiting for some one. Sick persons are brought upon beds and littered and laid by the side of the road. It makes one think of scenes in the New Testament. An old man comes in an automobile, a beautiful old man, looking like one of the saints. He has snow white hair and a long white beard and a beautiful, kindly, gentle face, full of all gentle thoughts that man may think, without guile, without one sordid or sensual cross, all good and kindly. The people cheer wildly when he comes and crowd around him to touch his hand or hear him say a word. The sick on the beds are lifted up for his blessing. He says something to each, and each is visibly cheered and lightened by his words. Some persons raise a hymn, ten thousand throats take it up, and so between dense crowds of applauding people the old man in the automobile enters the city, like a famous saint or apostle in the first days of the church. The city authorities receive him with every mark of respect; without dissent all men do him honor; a speaker refers to him as the foremost of the world's living philanthropists and benefactors; unanimous applause greets the remarkable.

The boy preacher stoned in the slum street and the old man revered and venerated are one person; the place is the same, the laicmaking city of Nottingham, and the two scenes are perfectly typical of the wonderful life of William Booth, general of the Salvation Army, that now encircles the globe, on whose labors the sun never sets, whose drumbeat is literally heard around the world.

There is no more astounding career in all the records nor in all the fiction. About it, as about the man himself, there is something that even to us of the world does not seem within the range of human achievement. I doubt if it be possible to cite anything so extraordinary in history. With General Booth's fundamental theology one may have no particular sympathy, and yet one is bound to admit that even to the worldling the grandeur, the extent and the impeccable success of this man's life work seem on inspection something overwhelming. We test by results.

You ought to know this man; he is good to know; he raises the human average. Let me see if I can help you to his acquaintance.

Here is the worst region of a dreadful slum in the heart of an English factory city, on all sides the broadening darkness of poverty, dismal streets, forsaken dwellings, hopeless people; at a corner a crowd of the ragged and dirty, in the center thereof, on an upturned box, a singularly handsome and passionately earnest boy preaching.

He is sixteen years old or thereabout, slender of frame, clear of voice, wonderfully ready of speech. His gray eyes burn and glow. There is a kind of apostolic flame in every word.

While he pleads the crowd, products of the savage conditions of modern life, and debased by British toil, fear and greed, unshorn and untempering, have no particular limits. If one man so inspired can do these things, where shall we set the bounds to feeling and action?

Young preacher preaches at the thought.

What were the endowment and environment of this masterful man?

Some of the missiles hit him in the face, some on the body, some go wide.

He shows not the least resentment; he of Nottingham, where William Booth was born. His mother was a saintly and gentle soul, widowed when the boy was still young, thenceforward wrapped up in him. His ancestry was com-

monplace, which is to say the very best, everything good on this earth having come from plain people. He had careful home training, but no formal school training, for the elder Booth lost all his money, and William must go at an early age to work. Doubtless this was likewise an advantage.

The glories of scholasticism could hardly have chilled a boy so fierce as burned in this breast. You surely they could in no way have helped it.

The family was orthodox in the Established Church of England, but of liberal views. One night going home he passed a Wesleyan chapel where

the ministry, urged him to enter the church.

The young man leads them in, finds benches among them. At

every opportunity he gives them words of comfort and cheer, presses their hands, urges upon them the hope and security of the Christian. He goes among them encouraging all. As the

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At once he asked for work that he might share with others the peculiar satisfaction and joy that he felt in his new relation—characteristic desire,

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ening darkness of poverty, dismal streets,

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# ONE MAN KILLED

Another Fatally Injured in Auto  
Accident in New York

NEW YORK, April 16.—An auto ride to death, the front seat on which he and four young men ended in death by being driven backward by one of their number and fatal injury, the impact until it took the place of another when a touring car in the rear seat of the tonneau. Joseph which they were driving at a terrible speed was thrown on his head on a speed crashed into a tree in Central concrete wall adjoining the driveway at dawn today. Matthew Camp, and suffered a fracture of the skull, an employee of the Moon Auto Co., who from which he was expected to recover, was acting as chauffeur, was crushed to death. Ernest Freyer was thrown out of

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HELD AT THE SWEDISH LUTHERAN CHURCH

The annual Easter sale and concert of the Swedish Lutheran church was held last night in the church vestry. The parishioners turned out in large numbers and the evening was spent in a most enjoyable manner. The affair was under the direction of the Immanuel society of the church.

The program of the entertainment was as follows: Singing by the church choir; reading, Miss Emetta Wogard; piano solos, Misses Olga Johnson and Jennie Peterson; song, Miss Irma Hanson; address, F. E. Lindquist; reading, Miss Helma Holmstedt; violin solo, Miss Jerda Nelson. The accompanist was Mrs. Henna Fregin.

The tables were set for the sale of different articles. They were the fancy goods, candy, flower apron and a table for the sale of miscellaneous articles. There was also a table for the serving of cake and coffee. Miss Anna Anderson had general charge of the fair.

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Of Lamson Store Service Co. Dead

SALEM, April 16.—Arthur S. Temple, a leading business man of this city and for several years treasurer of the Lamson Store Service Co. died at his home here today as the result of an operation for appendicitis. He was 59 years of age and leaves a widow and one daughter.

### CHAPTER DAY

WAS OBSERVED BY OLD BAY STATE CHAPTER, D. A. R.

"Chapter Day" was observed by Old Bay State Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, Wednesday, at the Spalding house in Pawtucket street.

After a reception the members repaired to the hall where the tenth anniversary of the founding of the chapter was observed. A well arranged entertainment program was carried out during the afternoon. The first number of the program was "Night and Dawn" by Fairfield, which was sung by Miss Julia Fox. Miss Parker introduced George W. Putnam, who read an original paper on "The Whi and Humor of Revolutionary Times," which was received with much enthusiasm.

Miss Fox sang "An Open Secret," (Goodman), and for encore "A Soul of Rose" (Clarke), followed by a piano solo, "Rustle of Spring" (Sinding),

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of Handiwork of Well Known  
Lowell Amateurs, and Priceless  
Antiques Loaned by Lowell's  
Leading Families

There is a new attraction in Lowell of which the public has as yet comparatively little knowledge and which

50,000 FREE BOTTLES  
OF HAIR REMOVERA Positive Remedy That Takes Away  
Superficial Hairy Growth Without  
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No woman with a mustache, or indeed with any superfluous hair disfiguring either her face, arms or bust, need suffer such mortification any longer. To relieve all such unattractiveness 50,000 bottles of the wonderful remedy Elec-tro-la will be given away absolutely free to women constantly miserable because of such unnatural unsightly growths.



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POLICE BOARD  
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This Morning

The board of police and their counsel, Messrs. Johnson, Burke and Bent, visited several of the local hotels this morning prior to the opening of the hearing at city hall. In conversation with a representative of The Sun, Mr. Bent stated that there was nothing out of the ordinary in the visitor, the purpose of the tour being in order that counsel might familiarize themselves with the locations, plan of rooms, etc., to be used in connection with the hearing now going on.

## PERSONALS

Mr. Nick Calbin, one of the standbys of the Lawrence division of the Boston & Northern, and a brother-in-law of Officer "Bat" Ryan, was in town this afternoon renewing old acquaintances. Nick, while related to "Bat" by marriage only, looks enough like him to be a younger brother, for they both have the rosy cheeks which make the guardians of Merrimack square the admired of all.

Fred C. Church carried the insurance on the building of the estate of Joseph D. Turner, Queen street, damaged by fire this morning.

Mayor Brown, Rev. James Craig, Rev. L. Lafleur will speak at Highland hall tonight. Come.

## Attention, F. O. E.

Cars will leave Merrimack square for Ayer Junction, April 19, at 12:30 p. m.  
J. F. MORRISON, W. Pres.

## FISH...

In order to catch fish, the fisherman needs good bait, and what is still more important, his bait must go where there is fish to catch. It is thus with merchants who would fish for business. They must place their bait where it will attract the attention of purchasers. An advertisement is a bait, but if it is inserted in a paper that is not read, how can it catch the attention of purchasers?

The Sun is read by the people, it has by many thousands the largest circulation in Lowell. Put your bait in The Sun, then it will fall in the stream of publicity and catch the attention of the fishes. Be wise, be successful fishermen. Advertise in The Sun, Lowell's Greatest Newspaper.

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## "THEMICO" HOSIERY

We have only to mention "Themico" to arouse the keenest stocking interest in Lowell. Customers who wear them regularly are their best advertisers. If you've never tried them and want to know how they compare with other brands, you need only buy one pair for the most convincing proof of their superiority over anything at the same or more money.

S. 35c. Silk List, double cotton sole, heel and toe, in a splendid range of new colorings, including black and white. A number that will bear comparison with the majority of 200 stockings on the market. Our Leader ..... 29c Pair

50c. Fine Gauge List, garter top; beautiful line of new colorings. 39c Pair, 3 Pairs for \$1.00

Fast Black Silk List, superior quality, lavender tops, heel and toe; excellent value... 50c

## "SYSTEME SUPERBE" GLOVES

Uncommonly good gloves at popular prices are few and far between. Occasionally we hear the remark, "Gloves are only a lottery at best." Yes, they are a lottery to people who think one glove is as good as another. All women do not, nor will not, pay for GOOD GLOVES, but there are many who will, and do—but don't always get them. If you are one of the latter class, we strongly advise you to get acquainted with "Systeme Superbe" Real Kid Gloves, the world's best for the money ..... \$1.50

They come in black, white, tan, brown, gray, taupe, mede.

2 C. French Overseam Gloves (Women's) \$1.00

New Biarritz Chamois Gloves, white and natural, \$1.00

8 Button Chamois ..... \$1.50

Children's, Misses' and Boys' Overseam, Pique and Prix seam ..... \$1.00

Children's White Elbow Silk Gloves, 75c

Women's 2 C. List Gloves, black, white and colors, ! 50c, 75c

Women's 2 C. Silk Gloves, double tips, black, white and colors ..... 50c, 75c, \$1.00

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## LINEN WAISTS

Linen Waists are exceptionally desirable for present use. Our assortment will compare favorably with anything shown, and is probably just a little ahead in quality, style and value. 15-Linen Waists appeal to you, we invite your inspection and criticism, whether you buy or not. Always anxious to show goods, especially when we know they're just right.

Tailored Linen Waists, long sleeves, laundered cuffs, and inch tucks back and front ..... \$1.95

Tailored Linen Waists, long sleeves, laundered cuffs, clusters of fine tucks back and front. \$1.95

Tailored Linen Waists, Mexican work fronts, \$2.95

Tailored Linen Waists, fine tucks and panels of box plaited front, tucked back ..... \$3.50

Tailored Linen Waists, all over embroidered front, with side tucks, tucked back, and long sleeves. \$3.50

Tailored Linen Waists, all-over embroidered front with Gibson tucked back and front. \$4.50

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If perfectly, are the essence of all that is sensible in the latest fashion and are made from the very best materials in the very best way, in the biggest and best factory in this or any other country. With this line of bests, we fail to see how any woman anxious for the most that her money will bring, can buy a corset the next time, before seeing these exquisite LA REINE goods \$1.00, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00

## Chalifoux's Clothes Fit So Well

That they make the young fellows look happy and take ten years off the age of their fathers. New weaves here are as cheerful as a spring morning, yet every color combination is in good taste. We have the quieter weaves—all the latest shades of grays and blues—conservative models for fathers and grandfathers, snappy models for young men. Solid colors too, for those who want them.

You Like the Way we price

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If you see what you think you like here we'll try it on you, or call a model and put the suit on him; show you just what it is: You need not put it on if you don't want to, you are to be suited and we're glad to show you.

It really pays you to see our fine clothes, no matter whether you buy or not today; there are no clothes existing that equal ours at the prices we ask.

Take the prices \$18, \$20, \$22, these prices allow you to select the finest worsteds and cassimeres—hand tailored models. New stone grays, hair line stripes and the stylish green shades here for you in all sizes.

Our stock of clothing for Lowell men is complete. We have your kinds of clothes, styles, fabrics and models. The net result of a lifetime's experience in buying, allied with expert judgment, has enabled us to select clothes that have incomparable workmanship. Every man in Lowell now feels the spring impulse to wear a new suit and every Lowell man knows CHALIFOUX'S STORE is the place where he gets most for his money.

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**WILL GIVE \$1000**

Union Bank Directors  
for Auto Carnival

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Union National bank, held late yesterday afternoon, the directors—not as directors of the bank, but as individuals—personally agreed to contribute the sum of \$1000 to the \$10,000 fund for the promotion of the automobile carnival as proposed by the Lowell Automobile Association. This is the largest contribution yet received and it is hoped that at the meeting of the finance committee of the auto club to be held tonight at the rooms of the board of trade the committee will be able to report that enough money has been secured to assure the holding of the great auto carnival.

The directors of the bank voted to authorize the cashier to express to them the opinion that the enterprise as outlined was a worthy one and that it

merited the support and assistance of the business interests of Lowell.

Josiah F. Fiske, the energetic busi-

nessman, has proposed a scheme which he believes will assist the club in a financial manner.

He believes that a good

demonstration of Hon. Butcher Ape's flying machine in the suburbs of the city, to which a small admission

might be charged, would materially in-

crease the finances of the club.

**FUNERALS**

**GIRARD**—The funeral of George E. Girard took place yesterday morning from his home, 721 Moody street, with a large number of friends and relatives in attendance. Solemn funeral services were sung at St. Jean Baptiste church, Rev. Fr. Brullard, O. M. I., was the celebrant, with Rev. Frs. Elphard and Oudette, O. M. I., as assistants. The choir sang Perreault's harmonized mass under the direction of Dr. George E. Calise, with Arthur J. Martel at the organ at the offertory. Dr. Calise sang "Pie Jesu" and at the elevation "O Miserere Passions."

The bearers were Arthur Lavoie, Michel Mayotte and Michel Bute of the Catholic Foresters, and Eugene G. Roussin, Frank Ricard and Antoine Belote, O. M. I., officiated at the grave.

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**PERREAULT**—The funeral of Jacques Perreault took place yesterday morning from his home in Merrimack street, with funeral services at St. Jean Baptiste church. Rev. Fr. Barrette, O. M. I., officiated. The bearers were Wilfrid Perreault, Amedee Perreault, Ulric Lacourse, Fortunat Poulin, Albert Croreau and Avila Leblanc. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery and Rev. Fr. Barrette, O. M. I., officiated at the grave.

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KIRANE.—The funeral of Miss Delta Kirane took place from the home of her parents, 21 Prospect street, this morning, a mass of requiem being sung at St. Peter's church by Rev. Fr. Mullin, O. P., in which the deceased held the rank of Lieutenant. This last delegation, in uniform, escorted the body on foot. There were a great many floral tributes, testifying to the general affection and esteem in which the deceased was held. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, and Rev. Fr. Barrette, O. M. I., officiated at the grave. Undertaker Joseph Albert had charge.

**FAHEY**—All that was mortal of the late Mary Fahey was tenderly consigned to its last resting place in the Catholic cemetery Friday morning. The funeral cortège left the late home of the deceased, 11 Fay street, at 9:30 o'clock, followed by a vast concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends and wended its way to the Sacred Heart church where at 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was sung. The celebrant of the mass was the Rev. James Farley, of Lewiston, Me., son of the deceased, assisted by the Rev. Frank Rogers of Winchester, Mass., as deacon, and the Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I., pastor of the church as sub-deacon. The choir sang the Gregorian mass. At the offertory "Pie Jesu" was rendered by Mrs. Adelade A. Muidon and as the body was being borne from the church "De Profundis" was sung by the sanctuary choir. Mrs. Adelade A. Muidon had charge of the choir, and she also presided at the organ. Although it was requested by the family not to send flowers, there was a profusion of beautiful and appropriate floral offerings, showing the esteem in which the deceased was held by her many friends and acquaintances. Assisting inside the sanctuary rail were the Rev. Lawrence Tighe, O. M. I., Rev. Bernard Fletcher, O. M. I., and the Rev. Dennis A. Sullivan, O. M. I., of the Immaculate Conception church. The bearers were Messrs. Dennis Neaghy, James Farley, James Casey and John O'Connor. The ushers at the house and at the church were Messrs. John Burns, Thomas Quigley, Joseph Quinn, John Quinn and Charles W. Thompson of Boston. The services at the grave were conducted by the Rev. Frank Rogers and Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I. Internment was in charge of Higgins Bros., undertakers.

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**REV. J. H. TOBIN**

**Well Known Priest  
Passed Away**

Lowell people attended the funeral services over the remains of the late Rev. John H. Tobin at St. Patrick's church in Fall River today, at which entered his work with a zeal that

church Rev. Fr. Tobin was stationed since his ordination a few years ago. Rev. Fr. Tobin was a native of Peabody and received his early education in the Catholic schools of that place. He then went to Baltimore for his academic and theological courses and trained for the priesthood under the Sulpician fathers in charge of St. Mary's seminary.

After his ordination Fr. Tobin frequently visited friends in Lowell. He was assigned to St. Patrick's church in Fall River after his ordination, being one of the assistants to Rev. J. M. Cooke, the pastor. The young priest

gained for him many friends, and in the following years no clergymen in Fall River was better known.

Along about the first of the present year Fr. Tobin began to show unmistakable signs of failing health, and for a time was in a hospital in Providence. He seemed to be improving, and remained in duties. This, however, was short-lived, and in a few weeks he was again taken ill. It was found that he was suffering from a complication of ailments, and a visit to the south was ordered.

Fr. Tobin went to Newark, and at first it was expected that he would fully recover. The change of climate

had a good but not lasting effect, and soon the old troubles returned, and last Monday night the young priest died.

Bishop Prender of Fall River and Fr. Cooke, the pastor of St. Patrick's church, were shocked at the unexpected news as were all the Catholic people of Fall River who had known of Fr. Tobin's labors for the parishioners.

Extra large Delaware Shad, 35c, at The Tarpin, Saturday.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Home Made  
Candies in  
Basement  
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20c lb.

**The Bon Marché**

Maple Ice  
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**WOMEN'S SUITS AND DRESSES**

Women's Suits, \$18.98—Made of high grade worsteds; coat trimmed with taffeta bands and lined with guaranteed satin; skirt is trimmed to match the coat. In navy blue, rose, reseda, gray and black. .... \$18.98

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Messaline Dresses—Very handsome model. Shirred sleeves and waist; assorted colors, special ..... \$12.98

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Children's Coats—In stripes and plain colors, 6 to 14 years, special ..... \$2.98

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Batiste Waists—Yoke of tucks and lace, medallion front, tucked back, fancy long sleeves, lace cuff and collar. .... .98c

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Special Batiste Waists—Dutch neck, button front, tucked back, lace trimmed collar and sleeves, special at ..... \$1.98

Novelty in Tailor Made Linen Waist—Tucked front, three points, buttoned over forming front plait, tucked sleeves, turned back cuff, laundered collar ..... \$2.98

Hand Embroidered Linen Waists—Tailor made, tucked back, laundered cuffs and collar ..... \$3.98

Special Lot of Lace Waists—Long sleeves, fancy front and back, worth \$8.98, special for Friday and Saturday ..... \$3.98

**NEW SPRING MILLINERY AT POPULAR PRICES**

Terrace Hat—Made of silk pyroxylene hair and fancy silk braid, trimmed with tucked chiffon and wings, in all colors for ..... \$2.98

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Curfew Hat—Made of satin straw, trimmed with chiffon messaline satin, foliage and berries, in all colors for ..... \$4.98

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New Line of Ready-to-Wear Hats for 98c, \$1.49 and \$1.98 upwards

**Sale of  
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31 Different Patterns in Plaids and Broken Checks, 27 in. wide. Regular price 25c. Special sale price,

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IF PROPERLY CARED FOR SHOULD BLOOM THIS YEAR

Three thousand Rose Bushes grown especially for us by the Arcadia Rose Gardens. Every bush thrifty and true to its name.

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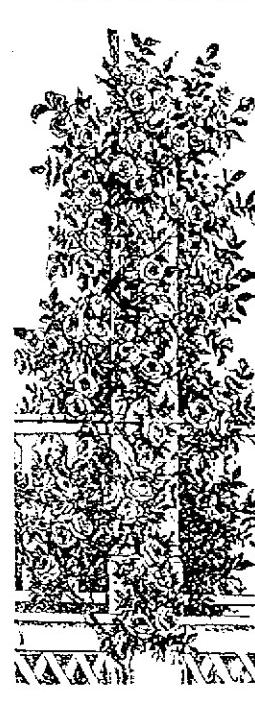
SNOW QUEEN  
(Pure White)

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(Beautiful Crimson Clusters)

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**LATEST SPRING FOOTWEAR**

Your wardrobe is not complete without a pair of Pumps. They surpass any other pattern of low shoe in popularity. Made with the new arch strap to prevent slipping, they are more than ever in favor.

The "Queen Quality" Pumps in tan, patent and gun metal, each

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In Lowell Are  
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**WOMEN'S SUITS**

If you want your Suit for Patriots Day come here today—Despite our big Easter Suit business we were able to deliver all garments at the appointed time regardless of unexpected alterations.

AT \$19.50 we show a very swagger style. Strictly man tailored Suit. In all the new colors and a variety of models. All wool worsted materials and fancy stripes.

AT \$25.00 we show twenty-four different styles in new spring models. Fabrics include fine French serges, rough serges, English tweeds, hard and soft finish worsteds and Panamas, in the season's newest colorings. All coats finely lined with Skinner's satin.

Altogether a splendid collection of finely tailored Suits displaying good form and style, down to the last stitch and button.

Many Unusual Values in

**Children's New Spring Coats**

Children's Coats, 2 to 6 years, colors red, blue and brown ..... \$2.25  
Misses' Coats, 6 to 14 years ..... \$1.98 to \$7.50  
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**The April Sale of****KID AND FABRIC  
GLOVES****MUSLIN****UNDERWEAR**

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Fitted Corset Covers, made of good cambrie, with hamburg edge ..... 15c

Corset Covers, with deep lace yoke and two rows of ribbon run. 25c value ..... 19c

Corset Covers, made of fine nainsook, handsomely trimmed with hamburg, also insertion and edge and ribbon run. 39c and 49c values ..... 29c

Combinations, made of good cambrie, with deep lace yoke and heading, a 75c value. Ask to see them ..... 50c

Combinations, with deep yoke of hamburg, also lace and heading; corset cover and skirt, and corset cover and drawers. Regular price \$1.00. 75c

Night Robes of unstarched cambrie with deep lace yoke, also hamburg trimmed; high neck, long sleeves; or low neck, short sleeves. Regular price 75c ..... 59c

The storm Wednesday and Thursday prevented many from attending our Big Sale of Rugs and Draperies. In order to give all who wish a chance to secure some of these great bargains we shall continue this sale until closing time Saturday evening.

**THE GILBRIDE COMPANY**

THE RELIABLE STORE ON THE CORNER

**JOHN P. DELANEY**  
ENTERTAINED A NUMBER OF HIS  
FRIENDS

John P. Delaney, son of John J. Delaney, the well known local tailor, who is home from the Randolph school for the Easter vacation, tendered a pleasant party last night to a number of his friends at the home of his parents, 261 South street. During the evening, a pleasing musical and literary program was carried out, games were enjoyed and refreshments served.

Master Delaney is making rapid progress in his studies at Randolph, and has become proficient in the art of painting, some of his sketches having been favorably commented upon by well known painters.

**STAR THEATRE**

A comedy musical act by Robson and Wilson will be seen at the Star Theatre Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday next week, and on the first three days of the week Jimmie and Marie Barrett, sketch artists, and Miss Leslie Palmer, concert singer, will be seen. This will be followed on Thursday with a full change on Thursday evening with two acts, for which a seat will be offered for the same admission of five cents, for which a seat will be offered. No better vaudeville will be presented elsewhere in the city, and the price that has always prevailed at the theatre large crowds are predicted.

See O. E. Conroy's ad in this issue.

**FUNERALS**

HOPE—The funeral of Mrs. Susan Masterson Hope took place this morn-

ing at 8.30 from her late home, 15 Bent Street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased. The funeral cortège proceeded to St. Patrick's church, where a solemn high mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Curtin. The choir sang the "Domine Jesu Christus" at the conclusion of the mass "In Paradisum" was sung and as the remains were borne from the church the choir sang "De Profundis". Mr. M. J. Johnson presided at the organ. After the mass the funeral procession wended its way to the Catholic cemetery, where "Dirige nos Domine in quietem et in quietem" was sung.

Rev. Fr. Curtin. A production of beautiful floral offerings, several of which were sent by her many friends. The services were Messrs. Florence Murphy, George Holden, Thomas Hannan, Michael Heslin, A. Mehan and Henry Doran.

The funeral was in charge of Undertaker John A. Finnegan & Co.

Extra large Delaware Shad, 35c, at The Tarpin, Saturday.

AN IMPORTANT ORGAN.

Cure your Liver occasionally and especially in the spring. Howard's Stomachic and Liver Bitters are purely medicinal, containing neither alcohol, camphor, Sassafras, Camomile, or any other irritating ingredients. They are a most efficient remedy for constipation, indigestion, loss of appetite and troubles arising from sluggish liver, as well as a healthy complexion, tired feeling, etc. Large bottles, \$1.00. Small bottles, 50c. Large bottles, \$1.00. Medium bottles, 50c. Small bottles, 25c. Extra large bottles, \$1.00. As good as you can get.

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Don't Loaf

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Swear to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 1, 1909.

J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public

This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

## FREE HIDES IN JEOPARDY.

It is announced that the senate may place hides upon the protected list in spite of the agitation to have them admitted free as raw material for the shoe factories. Should this be done it would be a continuation of what must be regarded as a gross injustice to New England. Free hides would lessen the price of shoes and thus help not only New England but the entire country. That does not seem to be the object of the republicans who are framing the tariff law.

## REGULATIONS FOR SUNDAY SHOWS.

The orders issued by General Whitney of the district police for the regulation of Sunday entertainments are sensible and proper. They are not narrow and chimerical. They have regard for the physical health and the prevention of disease as well as the elimination of everything melodramatic, sensational or immoral.

Everybody will rejoice that the burlesque is tabooed for this is one of the most objectionable features of the Sunday entertainment. Moreover it is usually the very worst entertainments that are boomed in this manner. The rules forbid the attendance of children at moving picture shows unless in company with adults. On the whole these regulations will correct a good many minor abuses that have crept into the entertainment business, especially on Sundays.

## THE LOWELL DELEGATION TO BLAME.

It appears now to be admitted generally that the charter bill was defeated by the Lowell delegation to the legislature.

The republican representatives and the republican senator were responsible for the adverse report of the committee on cities. They were undoubtedly of the opinion that it might lessen the chances of republican success in local elections. They did not like the idea of dropping the party designations. Some of the representatives to the legislature thought it might injure their own political chances. By opposing the bill they opposed the best interests of the city. That is why the people of Lowell should see that these representatives be retired to private life next fall as they have betrayed the interests of their city and of their constituents. They are politicians working for their own personal ends and are likely to prove recreant to the interests of their constituents in the legislature on other matters as well as upon the city charter. The petitioners may ask to have a modified bill passed but the changes which the Lowell delegation will admit are hardly worth seeking.

## SEQUEL OF PURE FOOD LAWS.

The pure food laws adopted by the United States have done a great deal to prevent adulterations and consequent impositions upon the public.

The people can rely now with reasonable certainty upon getting what they ask for. They can rely that things are labeled truthfully and not to deceive the public. The law forbids the use of poisonous preservatives such as borax, salicylic acid and other compounds of a poisonous nature.

Another phase of this question comes up for consideration and is one that should be brought to the attention of the people at large. It is plain that without the preservatives formerly used certain foods will spoil more quickly. As a result meat, fish, fowl, sausage, oysters and other perishable foods are liable to spoil so quickly as to deceive both dealer and consumer.

It is alleged that a great many cases of plomine poisoning have occurred since the passage of the pure food laws, simply because the foods mentioned were found to spoil more quickly than before. Thus while the pure food law compels truthful labels it cannot prevent the food from spoiling within a very short time, sometimes in the consumer's hands and sometimes before reaching the consumer. More care will, therefore, have to be exercised in testing the quality and the freshness of perishable articles of food, as without the use of preservatives they may spoil very quickly, and in that condition generate dangerous poisons. This is undoubtedly a phase of the pure food crusade that was not anticipated.

## THE CORNER IN WHEAT.

James A. Patten of Chicago has cornered the wheat market, and now the price of flour and consequently the price of bread is likely to go up all over the country.

The authorities at Washington are considering whether there is any provision of law by which speculators can be prevented from cornering the wheat supply. In other countries it would be a sufficient cause for the imprisonment of the speculators. Here it seems fit under our free government a speculator is privileged to take all the advantage he can of the market or the wheat supply of the country.

Mr. Patten himself claims that his transactions are perfectly legitimate, that he simply purchases the wheat in advance and stands responsible for payment. That may be true, but at the same time the result is disastrous to the entire country and it inflicts a serious loss upon the whole people. That is one reason why it should be stopped by provision of law. It should be made a criminal offense, if it is not already, to corner any of the necessities of life.

If the present trust law does not prohibit this extreme form of speculation then a new law should be made to apply to this particular class of evils. It is the worst kind of conspiracy to rob the people, and it is done openly and has been so done for years. It is Patten this year; it was Leiter a few years ago, and before that it was old Hatch.

It is true that the government interposed its authority in the interests of the masses to prevent the cornering of the wheat supply as one of the worst evils of speculation that can be perpetrated upon the people.

## PEOPLE OF NOTE

In a fortnight Miss Genee, the dancer, will end her work for the year, and take leave of "The Soul Kiss" for good and all. She will return at once to England, and for a long holiday, but in the autumn she will come back to America to appear in a new piece which, if she has her way, will make a far more fitting frame for her charms.

The New York Times recently quotes Mr. Sothern as saying: "Next season I intend to do 'Macbeth' and then 'King Lear.' I have been preparing them for a long time and am getting impatient to do them. You see I want to get my acting right away."

Margaret Anglin, the actress, having terminated her season in Australia, is now on a pleasure trip around the world and shortly will start for home. She has purchased a cottage in the neighborhood of Manchester, where, with her sister, she purposes spending the summer months. It is not her intention to appear on the stage again until September, when she will present the dramatic version of Mrs. Margaret Deland's novel, "The Awakening of Helena Richele," for a run at the Illinois Street Theatre. In order to avoid going to New York during the hot months, she will invite her company to Manchester and have the members rehearse in a local hall.

Ormsby Melford, the new assistant secretary of commerce and labor, is credited to North Dakota, but he has been in Washington many years. For some years he was an instructor in law at Washington University and recently he took a prominent part in the investigation of land frauds in the west.

George H. Moses, who has been appointed minister to Greece and Montenegro, has been a prominent figure for many years in New Hampshire political life. He was a delegate to the last national republican convention at Chicago and was an ardent supporter of Vice President Fairbanks for the presidential nomination.

A. O. Eberhart, lieutenant governor of Minnesota, is spoken of as a possible candidate for governor next year.

R. A. Taft, son of the president, was chosen head of the Intercollegiate Civic League at its recent meeting in New York. The league is an organization which plans to interest colleges in politics, to show them what their civic duty is and to inspire them to perform it. Thirty of the leading colleges of the country are embraced in the membership of the league. Young Mr. Taft is a student at Yale and represented that institution at the league convention.

Easter day was a memorable occasion for Mrs. Dora Sullivan Shea of 8 Bellflower street, Dorchester, who celebrated her 105th birthday anniversary Sunday. In the morning in a big automobile, Mrs. Shea was driven from her home to St. Margaret's church, Columbia road, where she attended mass. It was the first time she had ridden in an automobile. At the close of the service she held a reception to her fellow parishioners, hundreds grasping her hand. She received many gifts of flowers. During the afternoon scores of neighbors and old friends, and especially many children visited Mrs. Shea's house and offered congratulations. Mrs. Shea was born in Loughrea, County Galway, Ireland, April 11, 1804. She came to America seventy-five years ago, settling in Fall River, and went five years later to Boston. She now resides at the home of her grandson, William L. Drohan, officer in the South Boston court. Mrs. Shea has two grandsons, six great-grandchildren, four nephews and one niece. She is still in good health and retains her faculties.

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Sealed proposals addressed to the School Committee and endorsed "Proposed for Coal and Wood" will be received by said committee at selectmen's room, Chelmsford Centre, until Tuesday, April 20, 1909, at 7 o'clock p. m., for the supply of coal and wood as described below, and at that time will be publicly opened and read. All coal to be received in one of the following brands, each of equal quality: Philadelphia & Reading, Wilkesbarre, Susquehanna & Lehigh Valley.

35 tons more or less, Egg coal delivered and put in to the W. Cheimford school house.

35 tons more or less, broken coal delivered and put in to N. Chelmsford school house.

15 tons, more or less, stove coal delivered and put in to N. Chelmsford school house.

60 tons more or less, broken coal delivered and put in to Centre school house.

3 tons, more or less, stove coal delivered and put in to Centre school house.

15 tons, more or less, broken coal delivered and put in to E. Chelmsford school house.

10 tons more or less, Egg coal, delivered and put in to Golden Cove school house.

Also price per cord for first quality sawed hard wood, sawed pine wood, and sawed slab wood, delivered at the respective schoolhouses in cord and half cord lots as wanted.

All coal must be weighed and wood measured by sworn surveyor of the town of Chelmsford. A ball of each load must be presented as delivered, also original bill of lading if required.

The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

George F. White, John J. Monahan, Herbert E. Ellis, School Committee of Town of Chelmsford.

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97 APPLETON ST.

## BURNED TO DEATH

## Sad Fatality to Five Year Old Child

Arthur Champagne, aged five years, was fatally burned this morning at the home of his parents, 20 Queen street. The child had been left alone in the house and searing matches set fire to the bedclothing of a bed which he was in and before assistance arrived he was so badly burned that he died later at the Lowell hospital.

Last night the child's father purchased some small pipes for the boy to play with and it is thought that when his mother left him alone in the house this morning while she went to call on a neighbor, he procured one of the pipes and trying to imitate people whom he had seen smoke, lighted a match and the flame from the match set fire to the bedclothing.

As no one was present at the time the accident occurred, nothing definite could be learned as to how it happened. The first intimation that anything was wrong in the house happened about 7:30 o'clock, when pitiful screams were heard emanating from the Champagne house.

Sidney Lafitte, who resides in the vicinity, heard the screams and rushed into the house about the same time that Mrs. Champagne, mother of the child, started in attracted by the cries. The sight which met their eyes was a terrible one. The bed in one of the rooms was ablaze as was the bedclothing, while the child lying face downward was frightfully burned about the back, arms and chest.

Dr. Sumner was called and upon his arrival ordered the child taken to a hospital. In the meantime the members of the Branch street engine house had been notified and they succeeded in extinguishing the flames.

The ambulance was called and the unfortunate child was taken to the Lowell hospital, but died shortly after arrival there.

## SYRUP PARTY

## AT PAIGE STREET CHURCH LAST EVENING.

A delightful maple syrup party and Easter sale was held by the Ladies' circle of the Paige Street Free Baptist church last evening with a large attendance. Griddle cakes and syrup were the piece de resistance at the supper. The tables did a lucrative business.

During the evening there were selections by the Highland orchestra, and Miss Muriel Hopkins played a piano solo. The Misses Edith Sanders and Winifred Gorring played a piano duet.

The charge of preparing the maple syrup and griddle cakes was given to Mrs. G. E. Lovrien, Mrs. L. H. Pennell, Mrs. Nellie Joy, Mrs. Charles Henderson, Mrs. Marshall and Mrs. Leighton.

The young women who waited upon the tables were the Misses Ruth M. Richardson, Florence Knowlton, Viola Marshall, Belle Libby and Blanche Libby, Miss Mildred Daggett and Miss Anna McLeod.

Sealed proposals addressed to the School Committee and endorsed "Proposed for Coal and Wood" will be received by said committee at selectmen's room, Chelmsford Centre, until Tuesday, April 20, 1909, at 7 o'clock p. m., for the supply of coal and wood as described below, and at that time will be publicly opened and read. All coal to be received in one of the following brands, each of equal quality: Philadelphia & Reading, Wilkesbarre, Susquehanna & Lehigh Valley.

35 tons more or less, Egg coal delivered and put in to the W. Cheimford school house.

60 tons more or less, broken coal delivered and put in to Centre school house.

3 tons, more or less, stove coal delivered and put in to Centre school house.

15 tons, more or less, broken coal delivered and put in to E. Chelmsford school house.

10 tons more or less, Egg coal, delivered and put in to Golden Cove school house.

Also price per cord for first quality sawed hard wood, sawed pine wood, and sawed slab wood, delivered at the respective schoolhouses in cord and half cord lots as wanted.

All coal must be weighed and wood measured by sworn surveyor of the town of Chelmsford. A ball of each load must be presented as delivered, also original bill of lading if required.

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PEOPLE OF NOTE

In a fortnight Miss Genee, the dancer, will end her work for the

**SYSTEM OF GOVERNMENT ESPIONAGE**

BRUSSELS, April 16.—A local newspaper declares that a system of German espionage has been unearthed in the city. A man named Montaigne was arrested on suspicion of having committed a murder in Paris. He was innocent of this crime but it was discovered that he was the head of the system and documents of vital importance concerning the naval defences of Brest, France, were found in his possession.

**GREAT  
REDUCTION**  
AT—

**Cooper's**

Yes, it is a little out of the market but it will pay you to take a car, or better to say we will pay you for coming to trade with us. We pay you from \$3.00 to \$5.00 on a suit or even as high as \$7.00 on some suits.

\$15.00 Suits for....\$12.00  
\$20.00 Suits for....\$15.00  
\$25.00 Suits for....\$18.75

Come and you will surely save money on a new hat. Skirts, Waists, Coats and Raincoats at remarkably low prices.

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Our motto is and always has been: High grade goods at low prices.



**The Prospective  
Bride**

Must consider the cooking range the most important thing in fitting her home. Now think these things over before you buy. The Crawford range is the only range on the market that has the single adjustable oven damper. Now if people get along with other ranges with their many complicated dampers that close or open entirely, you will certainly have a great deal easier time and cook a great deal better with only one damper to look after and that slides and is adjustable to any degree of heat. There are 11 other reasons why you should buy the Crawford Range. Come in and look it over.

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LOWELL'S GREATEST MILLINERY STORE



**The New Millinery For Saturday**

SECOND FLOOR

The last ten days have been a severe test for our work-room, but we are happy to say that we are ready for tomorrow, with a splendid assemblage of new Trimmed Dress and Street Hats, the productions of our work-room for the last two days, which we have studiously reserved for our patrons who do not care to buy before Easter.

Our Trimmed Dress and Street Hats at \$4.98, \$6.98 and \$10.00 are, if possible, handsomer than ever and possess the style and character seldom, if ever, found in hats anywhere near these prices.

Our Trimmed Street Hats with a style and dash which belong exclusively to this great millinery store, \$2.48, \$2.98, \$3.48, \$3.98.

**Untrimmed Hat Department**

STREET FLOOR

No person will dispute us when we say we sell more untrimmed hats than any store in the city. The reason is plain. We spend a lot of time in getting the correct shapes at the smallest possible prices.

The Untrimmed Hats of Tagle, Milan, Chip, Real Hair, Java, Imported Leghorns, Neapolitans, Jap, Braid Hats, etc., 98c, \$1.48, \$1.98 to \$7.50 each.

Nobby Trimmed Hats for the little ones from \$1.98 upwards.

Ready-to-wear Hats 98c, \$1.48, \$1.98.

Imported Flowers and foliage at 10c, 25c, 48c, 98c and upwards.

We took a third of the surplus stock of one of New York's largest importers of flowers and fixed them at a price concession that enables us to offer them at 10c and 25c. The lot includes beautifully tinted roses, daisies, blues, violets, etc., and will melt away rapidly under the influence of these unusual prices. 10c, 25c, 48c, 98c.

Children's Handsome Ready-to-wear Hats 75c upwards.

Large Mushroom Sailors with sweaters and bands, \$1.75, \$1.98 and upwards.

All the latest ideas in mourning hats and veils at the lowest prices.



ALTERATIONS FREE

**GATELYS**

**INDIANS STARVING TO DEATH**

TORONTO, April 16.—A special from Edmonton, Alberta, says:

Reports from Fort Chipewyan state as a result of the failure of the fur crop the Indians are slowly starving to death. Many are mere skeletons, too weak even to get wood, and are lying huddled together in the teepees. Fish also have been very scarce.

**ROBBERS DYNAMITED BANK**

ENID, Okla., April 16.—Robbers dynamited the safe of the bank of Laclede, 30 miles east of here, last night, and escaped with \$10,000 in currency, and notes to the amount of \$1,000. The interior of the building was wrecked. The robbers escaped in a stolen car.

**GUDAHY PACKING CO. INDICTED**

TOPEKA, Kas., April 16.—Indictments were returned here today by the federal grand jury against the Gudahy Packing Co. of Kansas City, Kas., on 737 counts on a charge of defrauding the government of \$80,000 by violations of the internal revenue laws.

**CLOTHING  
ON CREDIT**

# Men's Spring Suits

THE tremendous business of the past week was a fine tribute to our splendid stock of the most stylish and down-to-date line of spring clothing. It surprised a lot of people, who opened an account with us last week, to see the beautiful patterns in men's suits that we carry, the large stock, and also the stylish cut and fine tailoring we put into our clothing.

The finely fitting coats with their padded, tailored shoulders, hand-tailored collars and buttonholes, and the revers reinforced by hair-lined canvas. The coats lined with Serge, Venetian or Mohair as you may select. The best merchant tailor cannot turn you out a more satisfactory suit. Come and see the line before purchasing elsewhere. You will certainly be astonished.

We buy for

**44 Stores**

and we can do things in the selling of clothing that surprises a lot of people. From \$10 up the prices run. A big variety and a great stock. Get in line and make your dollars count. Come and take a look. We guarantee every article to be satisfactory and if not right will cheerfully exchange and try to please you.

Come in and look around; if you wish to buy, simply open an account, and pay what you wish each week.

212 MERRIMACK ST.

Opp. St. Anne's Church  
Up One Flight

**GATELYS**

**WHEAT MARKET EXCITED**

CHICAGO, April 16.—Following yesterday's sensational market wheat

on the board of trade was nervous at the opening today. Patten was said to be a buyer. July opened quarter to half a cent lower at \$1.16 to \$1.16 1-2; May unchanged to 3-8 lower, at \$1.27 1-4 to \$1.27 5-8 and Sept. 1-3 to 1-2 cent higher at \$1.60 to \$1.61 3-4. The story that Mr. Patten has employed a bodyguard has no foundation. The colored man alleged to occupy this position has been at the same door receiving visitors' cards for a generation.

**AMERICAN MISSIONARIES KILLED**

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 16.—Information received here today from Seuna, Asiatic Turkey, declares that two American missionaries have been killed in the anti-Armenian outbreak at that place.

"ONE PRICE SELLING PLAN" TO ONE AND ALL THE PRICE IS THE SAME.

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16 BOYLSTON STREET, BOSTON, MASS.  
Lowell Branch: 128 MERRIMACK STREET—Up One Flight

**SELLING OUT**

The sale of the stock of the Boston Furniture Co. is drawing to a close.

Carpets, Ranges, Sideboards, Buffets, Dining Tables, Dressers, Chiffonieres, Beds, Springs, Mattresses, Art Squares, Rugs, Couches, Lace Curtains and Parfumieres, at

**50c on the Dollar**

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113-115 Gorham Street  
181 Middlesex Street.

# HAVERHILL GAS CO.

Has Been Sold to Stone & Webster

HAVERHILL, April 16.—The sale was announced yesterday of the Haverhill gas company by T. J. Nevins, general manager of the company. The latter will remain in charge of the company for the new owners and no changes will be made in the management or policy of the company.

Negotiations for the purchase of the plant have been under way for some time past, and it is understood that Stone & Webster of Boston are the purchasers, although Mr. Nevins says he does not know who the new owners are. The sale was effected through Newell Reynolds of the firm of E. H. Gray & Co., of Boston, the latter concern having loaned the bonds of the Haverhill securities company, the holding concern, when the company was sold 10 years ago.

The gas company is one of the oldest in the state and until its sale 10 years ago was owned entirely by local people. It was sold at that time for \$375,000 and \$50,000 in bonds were floated by the holding company.

The purchase price in the present sale is withheld. The new owners will assume the case brought by the company in its appeal from the decision of the state gas commission, ordering an 8-cent rate in this city, the present rate being \$1.

Mr. Nevins also announced yesterday that the new company, of which he is the managing director, intends to begin the construction of a plant that will supply the towns of Whitman, Abington, Rockland and Weymouth next month. An investment of \$500,000 is contemplated in the construction of the plant, with 70 units of gas mains, the company intending to later supply the towns of Braintree and Hingham. Work will be begun next month.

See O. E. Coon's adv. in this issue.

Extra large Delaware Shad, 35c, at The Tarpon, Saturday.

## COUPLE MARRIED

Love Unlocks the Jail Door

PROVIDENCE, April 15.—Miss Christina Palmieri, an Italian girl, 18 years old, was married yesterday to Carmilo Destino, three years older. Carmilo Destino, three years older, than she, who, on March 8 last, shot and wounded her during a fit of jealousy. In order to marry her sweetheart, who was held at Cranston jail because of his inability to furnish bail of \$400 in a charge of assault with intent to kill her, Miss Palmieri secured a reduction of the bonds to \$1500 and then furnished the sureties necessary for her lover's release.

Following a quarrel, in which the girl announced a marriage engagement existing between them, Destino appeared at Miss Palmieri's house on March 8 and fired three shots at her, one lodging in the girl's back. Destino then turned his revolver on himself, but inflicted only a slight wound. Both were taken to the hospital. Ten days later Destino was discharged from the hospital, the lower court bound him over in \$4000 for the superior court on a charge of assault with intent to kill, and in default of bail he was sent to Cranston jail.

Miss Palmieri was recently released from the hospital. She and her attorney

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JACK JOHNSON

To Meet Ketchel in 20 Round Bout

NEW YORK, April 16.—After Stanley Ketchel, the middleweight champion, had seen the moving pictures of the Johnson-Burns fight he was more eager for a match with the big negro than before and lost no time in signing a contract to meet Johnson at the Colma Club, San Francisco, on Oct. 12. So anxious was the hard hitting "Mountain Kid" for a try at Burns' conqueror that he was willing to concede the twenty round clause, which Johnson insisted upon, rather than let the chance escape. Johnson and Ketchel are to deposit \$5,000 each as a forfeit and are to split 50 per cent of the gate receipts on the basis of 65 per cent to the winner and 35 to the loser. Ketchel says he will enter the ring at 186 pounds.

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STANLEY KETCHEL

## THE VARNUM SCHOOL

Won the Athletic Meet For Grammar School Boys

The grammar school boys' athletic Varnum meet under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian association held on the South common this morning attracted a large number of people, including school children and the parents of the pupils, as well as others interested in athletic events. The fact that the event has been postponed from yesterday, owing to the weather conditions, did not effect the enthusiasm in the least, for the weather of today was ideal.

The long and high sloping embankment on the Summer street side of the common served as an excellent place from which to view the different contests.

The student athletes represented the different grammar schools and the various events were well contested.

The Varnum grammar school won the meet, having 32 points to its credit, while the Highland school was second with 17 points, Moody third with 11, and Bartlett fourth with ten. Five points were given to the winner of each event, three for second and one for third.

The following is a summary of the events:

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Pole vault—Won by Chase, Moody, 7 ft. 7 in.; Swanson, Bartlett, second; and Carter, Highland, third.

220 yards run—Won by Carter, Highland; Sullivan, Moody, second; Quinn, Varnum, third.

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1600 yards run—Won by Harley, Varnum.

The representatives of the schools are as follows:

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## Minor League Outlook. Big Struggle Expected In Smaller Organizations

**T**HE minor leagues are on tiptoe for the baseball fray. In fact, one or two organizations have already begun the pennant campaign. Most of them, however, as a rule, are later by weeks in starting their schedules than are the major leagues. The minor league teams are progressing in strength, in playing and in financial standing so rapidly as to raise the query whether or not some of them should be classed with the major leagues. For instance, take the Eastern, the American association, the Western and the Southern leagues. These organizations are supreme in their respective territories and conduct their affairs on up-to-date, responsible business methods.

The opening and closing dates of many minor leagues are as follows: The American association opened April 14 and closes Sept. 27; the Southern association, April 15 to Sept. 18; the New England league opens April 23 and closes Sept. 11; the Northwestern, April 17 to Oct. 3; the Illinois-Iowa-Illinois opens May 6 and closes Sept. 26; the Wisconsin-Illinois league opens May 6 and closes Sept. 12; the Western league opens April 29 and closes Sept. 12.

### The Eastern League.

The outlook for the season in the Eastern league is fully as promising as it was this time last year. Although many of the last year stars will be missing, there is plenty of good material on hand. But two changes have been made in the management of the clubs. Joe Kelley, former manager of the Boston Nationals, is piloting Toronto, and "Iron Man" Joe McGinnity is the leader of the Newark team in place of Stallings, who is now with the New York Americans.

Although the champion Baltimore lost several star players last fall, the Orioles have secured one or two major league players and have several promising recruits. Manager Dunn thinks that with Phil Lewis, the old Brooklyn player, at short the infield will be greatly strengthened. The schedule is not altogether satisfactory to President Hanton. One of his objections is that the Orioles play too many long series at home. Manager Eugene McCann of the Jersey City team is confident that he has produced a winner. Says he: "That bunch of ball players we have gathered together are the real thing. I can tell you, and any team that gets away with us will have to travel faster than anything I've seen yet in the Eastern league. Keep your eyes on the Jerseys." The Skeeters have been practically reorganized.

McGinnity's Newark team will make a strong bid for the pennant this season. The "Iron Man" announces that he is ready to take his turn in the box. Buffalo is ready to put up a good fight.

### The American Association.

Another close struggle is anticipated in the American association this season. The big leaguers made heavy inroads into the Indianapolis team last fall. Although Manager Carr has lost Marquard, Bush, the Indian, and Bill Myers, three stars, the clever manager thinks he can whip together a winning combination with the material at hand.

### Southern Association.

A repetition of last year's great struggle is anticipated in the Southern association. The fight in this organization rivaled those in the big leagues. The flag battle at the close was left to the two clubs practically tied for the lead to settle the argument between themselves, just as in the case of the New York-Chicago duel in the National, and the Detroit-Chicago battle in the American. On the last day of the race Nashville defeated New Orleans and for the third time in the history of the Southern league carried away the flag. Bill Bernhard, the former Clevelander and now manager, is confident his team will again carry off the honors. Although the major leaguers made inroads on his champions, he has several of the 1908 team

left and a good nucleus to draw from.

### Ohio-Pennsylvania League.

The integrity of the Ohio and Pennsylvania league has been established, eight club owners having put up \$5000 forfeit money each. The Sharon franchise has transferred to Steubenville,

of the franchise remaining in the name of E. E. Clepper, now owner of the Sharon club. This gives the league a circuit made up of Erie, McKeesport and New Castle in Pennsylvania and Steubenville, Akron, Canton, Youngstown and East Liverpool in Ohio. The 1908 game season is to open May 6, with Youngstown at McKeesport, New Castle at Erie, East Liverpool at Steubenville, Youngstown at New Castle and Erie and McKeesport interchange morning and afternoon games on half-days.

### The Tri-state League.

The Tri-state schedule consists of 114 games this season, the opening contests being played April 28 and the closing ones Sept. 6. The clubs will be paired off as follows on the opening day: Trenton and York, Lancaster and Reading, Altoona and Johnstown and Harrisburg and Williamsport. Last year the clubs played four games with each other in succession, two in one city and two in the other. This will be avoided this year. Trenton will play at York for two days, but returning home will meet some other team. This was done to give the losing team a better chance of getting going than the arrangement did last year.

### The Texas League.

The Texas league opens April 17 and closes Sept. 6. San Antonio opens at Galveston, Waco at Houston, Oklahoma City at Dallas and Shreveport at Fort Worth. There will be double headers played at Houston, Dallas, Fort Worth and San Antonio on July 4 and Labor day.

### New England League.

If a line-up on paper means anything, the Fall River club will certainly be one of the strongest on the circuit next season. Manager Jack O'Brien has been getting in a whole lot of work in preparation for the opening of the season, and he has succeeded in gathering together some new men who promise to strengthen the team greatly. Manager O'Brien has been working along the lines that the pitching staff needed strengthening; the infield, at third and short, required new faces; an outfielder should be added and the backstop department also in need of a catcher.

**TOMMY CLARK.**

### WANT LAWN TENNIS ALL YEAR.

Who enjoys the activity of lawn tennis in a few brief months? Such is the question that is now being asked most frequently, and with increasing fervor, by devotees of the game, as they sit out sessions on the courts. The query is not new. For several years past it has been current, and as a partial answer the various clubs have each year extended the season, although usually dispensing with the services of the groundsmen and attendants. Those who wished to follow their favorite game could do so upon playing surfaces not as carefully groomed as in midsummer. But more and more have men and women appeared for such matches as could be devised. Often they have performed the absent groundkeeper's work for the joy of at least a good lively set or two in the crisp autumn air.

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### BASEBALL A HIT IN MANILA.

Manila is a great baseball town. Besides 5000 American troops and 15,000 American citizens, says the Chicago Examiner, there is a population of 250,000 natives to draw from. The natives are interested in and play the game well.

Honolulu is the greatest baseball city of its size in the world. It has a better ball park than anything in the Pacific coast. The game is played there the year through, and there are at least eight different leagues in this city of 45,000 people.



### New Major League Managers Whose Work Will Be Closely Watched This Season.

used for the purpose. This was a severe setback, many abandoning the game during the winter altogether. Others received an occasional invitation from a member of a regiment to play or turned to squash, as they might get a court at the New York Athletic, Crescent Athletic, Yale, Harvard and several other of the clubs. But so excellent a player as Holcombe Ward has declared that at best squash is to be reckoned as a substitute for lawn tennis and even the indoor game a makeshift for the sport upon open courts.

### FIGHTERS' NOM DE PLUMES.

Many Corbett and Jacksons, but No Jeffries.

When it is considered how partial boxers are to assuming the names of the champions of their own profession as ring titles it seems rather extraordinary that the name of Jeffries did not attract more followers. Save for one or two men of distinctly poor quality as boxers only a single individual assumed the name with even moderate success. This was Billy Hunter, who won quite an array of semi-windups as Young Jeffries.

There were Corbett's galore. Long before William Rothwell won the featherweight championship under the name of Young Corbett, George Green had used the same title. He was a boxer of ability. Fred Corbett, now boxing in the east, is Carol Cain of St. Louis. And in the last ten years at least a dozen men have earned distinction after assuming the name James J. Corbett is the only one who really is of that name.

There were plenty of Sullivans and several Young John L's, but none of these did much. So many men who actually possess the name of Sullivan have figured in the ring that no individuality is attached to the title. There are two Young McLeods, and nobody can tell just which is the original.

Nearly every boxer of note, from Peter Jackson on down, has had his name assumed as a ring title by newcomers. Young Peter Jackson was a boxer of considerable ability. It now seems as if the ring will be flooded with Young Jack Johnsons, as the dark skinned members of the calling are exceedingly partial to bearing names to which glamour is attached.

It was across the water that this practice of assuming the names of prominent boxers first came into notice. Records of more than a century ago show that there were "Young Mendozas" in great variety. Several boxers assumed the name of Jim Belcher, generally prefixing it with the name of their home town. Thus, Bristol and Gloucester were added to the name.

### HACKENSCHMIDT A GOLFER.

Says It Is Great Game to Reduce Weight.

Because of his great physical strength it was thought that when Hackenschmidt, the famous Russian wrestler, took up golf he would make a terrific driver, and he probably would, but to the fact that he cannot be induced to take his grip on the club after the style which is considered orthodox

instead of placing the right hand above the left he insists upon reversing the grip and really is swinging against his own effort when he tries to rep the ball from the tee.

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In response to an offer asking for

the appearance of Jack London on the stage in this country J. W. Nagley

## Sothen in Repertory—

### And Why He Will Never Equal Richard Mansfield

(From Our New York Dramatic Correspondent)

**E** H. SOTHEN in repertory at Daly's theater is the highest class attraction in town now that Julia Marlowe has departed with "The Goddess of Reason."

Mr. Sothen appears in such familiar dramas as "Lord Dundreary," "Romeo and Juliet," "The Merchant of Venice," "Louis XI," "King Lear," "Hamlet," "Macbeth" and "Richelle."

The annual engagement of Mr. Sothen, that patinating but tiresome star fondly hopes, will fill the place left vacant through the death of the inspired Richard Mansfield. But Mr. Mansfield's fame rests secure, far above any heights that Mr. Sothen will ever reach without the aid of a set of scaling ladders and a trained fire department.

**Mr. Sothen's Accuracy.**

However, we must give Mr. Sothen credit for the range of his repertory and the accuracy of his characterizations. He is a very neat for accuracy. That is his greatest merit, and that is why he will never rank with Mansfield. Thorough mathematicians and conscientious bookkeepers are accurate. Mr. Sothen is not.

Nevertheless the intelligent student of stage classics will always profit by viewing any of Mr. Sothen's performances, and his annual engagement is consequently something to be patronized.

It is probably in the role of Romeo that Mr. Sothen comes closest to revealing inspiration. He is natural in that. As Romeo he does not give you the impression that he would have you believe the role to be a severe flagellation of his spirit.

Richelle is Mr. Sothen's newest offering, and he brings to his conception of the part a sentiment that has extended over his entire dramatic career. "Richelle" was Sothen's favorite play when he appeared in it with John McCullough, and it had been his ambition to some day interest, but stated that, inasmuch as present the most elaborate production he was then contemplating placing



G. B. Sothen, Starring In Classic Repertory.



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Frederick Thompson, the New York theatrical manager who has produced leading successes both in America and London, has shown that a man can be both a showman and a producer of the most artistic dramas. As a showman pure and simple, he probably outshines the late P. T. Barnum. When did Barnum ever conceive a gigantic scheme as the establishment of the original Luna Park, at Coney Island, New York, or the New York Hippodrome.

Turn to "The Stage" and "World's Millions" and "Via Wirciese." In these last two dramas the mechanical genius is shown in an imposing manner. Had he turned his inventive mind to other channels he would probably have been an Edison, a Marconi, a Tesla or a Wilbur Wright.

Mabel Taliaferro, the fascinating star in "Polly of the Circus," is the wife of Mr. Thompson.

these characters in a comedy, he could not, of course, acquiesce in her request.

Now comes the strange part of the story in that Harrison Grey Fiske is producing Mr. McCullough's comedy, "The Gay Life," and has engaged Katherine De Barry to originate the role of Maria de Branciscombe.

Miss De Barry says it seems positively uncanny that out of a whole world of actresses Mr. Fiske should accidentally meet and select her for the part, and the only way she can explain the strange coincidence is that she has been wishing for this so long that she just naturally wished herself on to Mr. Fiske.

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